

I-90 EXIT 14 INTERCHANGE

27TH ST & HWY 14A/COLORADO BLVD

SPEARFISH, SD

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PROJECT PROGRESS: Grading operations continue on the north east portion of the 27th St and Colorado Blvd. intersection and the eastbound On Ramp. Traffic was switched to one-lane two-way traffic on I-90 in the westbound lanes on Wednesday, April 13. Work has begun with the removal of the concrete in the existing eastbound I-90 lanes and regrading of the new lanes has begun.

The project is in Phases 1 and 2A now. Phases 1, 2A, and 2B will be constructed prior to the Sturgis Rally. Construction maps showing the phases can be found on the website at <http://www.sddot.com/travelers/projects/Exit14/>.

PROJECT SCHEDULE & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES: Temporary signals at the 27th St and 1st Ave intersection are scheduled to be active on Tuesday, April 19. Once active, 27th St will be widened to the west to carry traffic while the east half of the new 27th St gets constructed.

Crews will likely begin work on the new 27th St bridge in the next couple of weeks.

Utility crews will also be working on the project to relocate their services ahead of grading operations. This may affect traffic and access at times. The first access affected will be into 311 N 27th St (First Interstate Bank and other businesses).

OTHER ISSUES AND CONCERNS: Dust from the hauling and grading operations has been a concern for the DOT and the Contractor. The Contractor has been trying to minimize the dust while also trying to prevent making a muddy mess on the road. We appreciate your patience with this situation.

Starting this week the Contractor's hauling operations will start crossing over Colorado Blvd. and hauling directly to the closed I-90 eastbound lanes. This should significantly reduce the amount of dust for the businesses along Colorado Blvd.

Thank you for your patience and attention when traveling through the project.

Weekly project meetings are open to the public every Thursday at 2:00 PM in the Hudson Hall (Room C), 222 W Hudson St, Spearfish, SD.

Road construction information for this project can be found at the following links as it becomes available:

- <http://www.sddot.com/travelers/projects/Exit14/>
- www.safetravelusa.com/sd
- Dial 511



Two-Way Traffic on I-90



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