MEDIA ADVISORY: West Bridgewater

MassDOT Schedules Three-Week Closure of a Section of Route 106 for Bridge Reconstruction Work

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation Highway Division announced that it will be closing a section of Route 106 in West Bridgewater between Manley Street and Route 138 in Easton beginning April 3, 2017, for a period of three weeks to reconstruct the Route 106 bridge over the Hockomock River.

The work will be conducted from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m., seven days a week for an estimated duration of three weeks. The Traffic Management will consist of standard temporary traffic control utilizing police details, with a full closure and detour of Route 106 for the duration of the construction operations.

For traffic traveling west on Route 106:

Traffic will be detoured right onto Manley Street, then left onto West Street, which changes to Purchase Street at the West Bridgewater/Easton Town Line. Traffic will then turn left onto Turnpike Street, merge with Route 138, and end at Route 106.

For traffic traveling east on Route 106:

Traffic will be detoured left onto Route 138 in Easton, then bear right onto Turnpike Street, then right onto Purchase Street, which changes to West Street at the Easton/West Bridgewater Town Line, then right onto Manley Street, and end at Route 106.

The Route 106 roadway will be open to local traffic between the intersection with Route 138 in Easton and the west side of the bridge and between the intersection with Manley Street in West Bridgewater and the west side of the bridge.

Drivers who are traveling through the affected areas should expect delays, reduce speed, and use caution.

All scheduled work is weather dependent and/or may be impacted due to an emergency situation.

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