



## **City of McKinney Press Release**

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### **NTTA released the following traffic advisory**

McKINNEY, Texas (July 9, 2010) – NTTA TRAFFIC ADVISORY  
Northbound U.S. 75 Exit to Eldorado Parkway to be Closed Starting July 10

On the night of July 10, 2010, crews will close the northbound U.S. 75 exit ramp to Eldorado Parkway starting at 10 p.m. for approximately two months. This work is necessary to allow crews to complete the remainder of the new U.S. 75 alignment north of the SRT.

The North Texas Tollway Authority is working with the Texas Department of Transportation to coordinate the closure.

Northbound U.S. 75 motorists wishing to access Eldorado Parkway will be rerouted to exit at Ridgeview Drive, which means they will exit earlier than they have in the past. After exiting at Ridgeview, motorists will follow the detour route and take north/northeast U.S. 75 frontage road/Spur 399 to Medical Center Drive, where they will make a U-turn and continue back west on Spur 399 to the northbound U.S. 75 frontage road and Eldorado Parkway.

When the U.S. 75 main lanes reopen on the morning of July 11, northeast-bound SRT traffic wishing to access northbound U.S. 75 will use the existing loop ramp. The loop ramp will take traffic to the northbound U.S. 75 frontage road, where traffic may enter the northbound U.S. 75 main lanes via an existing entrance ramp just north of Eldorado Parkway.

Also on the morning of July 11, northbound U.S. 75 traffic will be returned to the correct side of U.S. 75 just south of Eldorado Parkway, approximately one-half mile north of its current location. Currently, all northbound U.S. 75 traffic within the interchange project limits is shifted onto the southbound side of the highway.

All detour routes are clearly marked with signs, and electronic message boards have been placed along the roadway(s) to notify drivers about the closures.

The NTTA appreciates the traveling public's patience during the ongoing interchange construction and reminds everyone to drive cautiously in work zones.

All closures are subject to weather conditions and will be postponed, if necessary.

For more information about upcoming lane closures and traffic-related news along NTTA roadways, call (214) 224-3030 or go to the "Lane/Ramp Closures" listing at [www.ntta.org](http://www.ntta.org)<<http://www.ntta.org>>.

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**About McKinney**

McKinney, Texas, is unique by nature. As one of the fastest-growing cities in the U.S., McKinney has a current population of more than 127,500. Incorporated in 1848, the city is located 30 miles north of Dallas and is the county seat of Collin County. McKinney offers rolling hills, lush trees, a historic downtown square and unique neighborhoods and developments, and it was recently ranked as one of the Top 10 Best Places to Move by Forbes Magazine. Visit the city's Web site at [www.mckinneytexas.org](http://www.mckinneytexas.org).

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