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Permanent I-80 Eastbound Ramp Closure from NW 48th St. in Lincoln Area Starting Monday Morning

Weather permitting, the I-80 eastbound on-ramp from southbound NW 48th St. in Lincoln will permanently close at 9:00 a.m., Monday, April 13, according to the Nebraska Department of Roads. Motorists will need to follow West "O" Street east to the US-77 / West "O" Interchange for I-80 eastbound access.

Motorists wanting to access US-77 southbound will need to follow West "O" Street east to the US-77 / West "O" Interchange, then enter onto eastbound I-80 and be routed east on I-80 to the airport interchange (Reference Post 399). They will then reenter I-80 westbound and proceed to the US-77 southbound off-ramp at Reference Post 397. Detour signs will be in place for these routes.

This closure is part of the I-80 six-lane construction project. The contractor for this work is Hawkins Construction Company of Omaha, Nebraska.

The Department of Roads' project manager is Joseph Kuehn. Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously through highway construction zones.

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