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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

I-80 Temporarily Closed Wood River to Grand Island and Waco to York

Weather permitting, Watts Electric Company of Waverly, Nebraska, and the Nebraska Department of Roads (NDOR) are announcing that eastbound I-80, from Wood River to Grand Island, is scheduled to be closed overnight between 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 10; and westbound I-80, from Waco to York, is scheduled to be closed overnight between 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 17.

The \$59,471 project is anticipated to be completed in June. The purpose of the project is to replace two Dynamic Message System Boards that span I-80. The new boards will be located just west of Grand Island and just east of York.

I-80 eastbound traffic will be detoured around the construction between N-11 in Wood River and US-281 in Grand Island, along US-30 on the night of June 10. I-80 westbound traffic will be detoured around the construction between L-93B, the Waco Link, and US-81 in York along US-34 on the night of June 17. Minor shoulder closures may continue on I-80 near the Dynamic Message System Boards after the detours are complete.

The Department of Roads' manager for this highway improvement project is Eric Klein of Grand Island. Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously through the construction zones, along detours and selected alternate routes.

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