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| **S.R. 248 Corridor Improvements ﻿****CONSTRUCTION UPDATE** |

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| **August 17, 2023** |

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| **Overview** S.R. 248 Corridor Improvements in Park City and in partnership with the Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT), will improve the stretch of S.R. 248 between the intersections with Bonanza Drive and Richardson Flat.  Improvements include milling the existing asphalt and applying new asphalt to the highway – including a portion of shoulder installation where none exist today, striping adjustments, and a slight narrowing of the eastbound and westbound lanes at the intersections at Bonanza Drive and Wyatt Earp Way. The narrowing is designed to reduce speeds and provide space for buses and bicyclists. **CONSTRUCTION EXPECTED TO COMPLETE SEPTEMBER 15, 2023** |

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|  **Upcoming Construction Activities**  * The crew constructing the S.R. 248 improvements has developed a paving schedule that best accommodates the increase in travel associated with the start of the new school year for Park City School District. Their construction activities are scheduled as follows and weather pending:

 * This week, **August 16 – 18**, crews are milling existing asphalt and placing the first (of two) layer of asphalt from Cooke Drive to Buffalo Bill Drive. Temporary striping will be painted on this initial layer of pavement to guide drivers to their appropriate destinations. The center turn lane will re-open, similar to its configuration before construction began. Drivers may see intermittent Park City Police Department support as crews pave through the intersection at Comstock Drive. One lane will remain open for eastbound and westbound travel through the duration of the paving activities.

 * Crews will continue their milling and paving operations throughout the following week, **August 21 – 25** between Buffalo Bill Drive to Richardson Flat. This approach is intended to shift work activities to the eastern section of the project, away from school activities beginning on **August 22**. Similarly, one lane of traffic will be open for each direction of travel.

 * Beginning Sunday **August 27**, crews will apply the final layer of asphalt between Cooke Drive and Buffalo Bill Drive. The permanent lane striping will be applied, and the road will be open for school on Monday, **August 28**. Crews will continue moving east to apply the final pavement and striping between Buffalo Bill Drive and Richardson Flat.

 * Drivers traveling through the construction zone should expect delays, drive with caution, and follow the posted traffic control and signage. Crews have developed their paving pattern in a manner that shares the road with parents, student drivers, and buses while also creating space for their work to occur in a manner that provides distance from the fresh oil tack necessary to seal the asphalt. Deviating from the contractor’s designated travel lanes may result in tack residue on personal vehicles.

 * Final work activities, including sign installation, restoring utility access (manholes), and placing topsoil in select locations will follow the pavement work. The contractors expect to complete the improvements on S.R. 248 by **September 15**.

   **Ongoing Construction Activities** * Transit impacts may be in place while the equipment/crews are working directly in front of the bus stops
* One lane in each direction will remain open at all times and the speed limit will be set to 35 MPH
* Business and residential access will remain open
* Some accesses will experience short-term disruptions
* This work is in preparation of roadway resurfacing and shoulder improvements
* During work hours 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM, traffic lanes will be narrowed and shifted to accommodate roadway and shoulder work this will include utility work
* Motorists should reduce speed and expect delays while driving through the corridor.

  *To help us get where we are going, work will be paused for: Labor Day, Park City Silly Market, Extreme Soccer Tournament, Park City Kimball Arts Festival, Deer Valley Music Festival, Deer Valley Major Concerts.* |

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| **Back to School Safety** As the new school year gets underway you may notice construction will impact parking, busing, pick-up and drop-off locations, traffic flow, and parking lots for the next few years. Check your school websites and newsletters for specific updates. We ask for your cooperation in navigating these issues to ensure the safety of students and staff, and smooth traffic flow around construction operations.   **Your patience and cooperation are greatly appreciated!** |

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