PROJECT UPDATE

We continue to make progress on area improvements, and interchange construction is underway. See what you can expect while traveling locally and on Highway 169 south of Shakopee as the winter season approaches.

Construction Highlights and Community Impacts

- Culvert installation and single-lane, head-to-head travel on Highway 169 near County Highway (CH) 14 through early November.
  - [Look for new routes to some businesses west of Highway 169.]

- Driveway relocation from Highway 169 to the local frontage roads.
  - [A lot has changed since August! Know your route before you visit any businesses within the project area.]

- New Weckman Road (frontage road) construction on the west side of Highway 169.
  - The right-in turn lane on southbound Highway 169 in front of the Holiday gas station will remain open to traffic through early spring 2020.

- Highway 169 widening to prepare for future construction work.
  - Widening the road gives the contractor space to work while keeping the highway open to traffic.

- Highway 169 interchange ramps construction and paving.
  - Motorists will use these ramps as designated right-turn lanes starting in late October. See map.
  - Motorists going through the Highway 169/41/78 intersection and making left turns will follow the same movements that they do today.

FOLLOW THE PROJECT

Follow construction progress and be prepared for what’s next.

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

Scott County and MnDOT are building a new interchange at Highway 169/41/78 in Jackson and Louisville townships. Construction began in fall 2018 and is anticipated to be completed in late fall 2020.

This project will:

- Improve safety and traffic flow in the area by removing direct access to Highway 169.
- Maintain local business access to support area growth via a new frontage road system.
- Support the long-term vision of extending the freeway to this stretch of Highway 169.