



## Parent/Student Information Highway 25 Bypass Construction

In May, the Council of Governments began construction on the Highway 25 Bypass project. Construction is ongoing and will impact many of the routes used by students walking and biking to school.

The Council of Governments' primary concern is safety in the construction zone. Parents and students are reminded to use caution when traveling in the area.

### Primary Construction Areas

- Sunnyslope Road
- Hillcrest Road
- Meridian Street
- Santa Ana Road

### What can you do?

#### **Use designated sidewalks.**

The Contractor will keep existing sidewalks and walkways on Meridian Street and Santa Ana Road functioning as long as possible. When existing walkways must be removed as part of construction activities, temporary pedestrian walkways will be provided. The surface will be skid resistant and kept free of obstructions.

#### **Use designated crosswalks.**

When necessary, the Contractor will place temporary crosswalks on Meridian Street and Santa Ana Road to channel pedestrians to one side of the road, avoiding areas of heavy construction.

#### **Follow flaggers' instructions.**

Always follow instructions from construction workers in the area to ensure safety of yourself and those around you.

#### **Allow extra time for travel.**

All traffic lanes will remain open before 9 a.m.; however, to ensure safety, slower speeds should be observed in construction zones. In the afternoon, some lanes may be closed and driving time may be longer. Allow yourself extra time to get to school for pick-ups and drop-offs.

**For more information about the project and to get updates about construction, visit [www.Highway25Bypass.com](http://www.Highway25Bypass.com) or call 1-866-HWY25-11.**