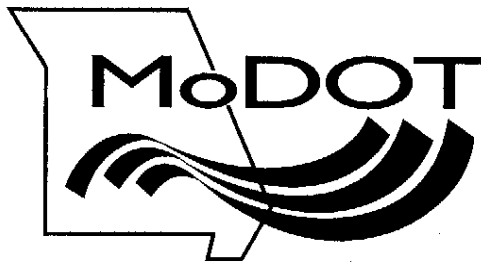


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March 4, 2010

Dear Neighbor:

As part of our interchange improvement project, MoDOT and our contractor, Fred Weber, Inc. are beginning construction of a temporary bypass for Interstate 270 over Dorsett Road. This bypass will be located just to the west of the existing I-270 bridge, near the on and off ramps. As needed for the installation of bridge supports, pile driving operations are scheduled to begin the week of March 8.

The pile driving operation is scheduled to last about two days, weather permitting. Normal working hours will be between 7 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. By nature, pile driving is noisy. Those located in close vicinity to the interchange may notice some vibrations from this operation. Standard structural inspections have already occurred near the construction site. The contractor plans to do vibration monitoring during the work, but we do not expect the vibration levels to be significant. Construction crews will return in the near future to conduct an additional day of pile driving for the center bridge support on Dorsett. Plus, later this year additional pile driving will be necessary for construction of the new permanent bridge.

We're excited about starting construction on this important project. This project, as with any major project, will involve some inconvenience to the community; much of which falls on the closest neighbors. We appreciate your cooperation.

Additional information on the project is available on our website: www.270dorsettpage.com. If you have any questions about this construction or any other project questions, please call or email me. Also, we'd like to add you to our e-mail distribution list for easy communication, if you're interested, please send me a note. Thanks again for your support.

Sincerely,

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