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Traffic Pattern to be Restored on I-469 Next Week

Southbound/westbound traffic will be shifted back to newly constructed lanes

ALLEN COUNTY – The Indiana Department of Transportation announces that INDOT contractors, Brooks Construction Company, have plans to restore I-469, between mile marker 11/U.S. 27 and mile marker 17/Minnich Road, to its original traffic pattern on or after Monday, Nov. 20, weather permitting.

Contractors will begin the process by shifting southbound/westbound traffic back onto the newly restored lanes, as well as reopening the ramps to/from Marion Center and Tillman roads. Traffic may still be reduced to one lane in each direction while crews remove the concrete barrier wall from the northbound/eastbound lanes. The alternating lane closures may last up to three weeks, weather permitting.

The two-year construction project will resume in the spring of 2018 with the reconstruction of the eastbound lanes. Work on the project includes the total removal of concrete pavement from the lanes and shoulders, followed by the placement of asphalt between mile marker 11/U.S. 27 and mile marker 17/Minnich Road. Bridge rehabilitation and repair are also included for the I-469 bridge over the Chicago, Fort Wayne and Eastern Railroad south; the I-469 bridge over Tillman Road; and the I-469 bridge over the Chicago, Fort Wayne and Eastern Railroad north. A bridge deck overlay is planned for the I-469 bridge over Houk Ditch.

View this project in our online traveler system here: <http://bit.ly/2l0Na3U>