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Construction continues on several roads in the city of Caldwell. It is our goal to ensure citizens are aware of these projects so motorists can find alternative routes, avoid delays and get where they need to go. The City is committed to updating citizens on the status of road projects and will provide information several times each month regarding the status of projects.

We are proud to report that 10th Ave. (Ustick to Homedale) opened yesterday. We hope this will ease the traffic in the area as other portions of Ustick remain impacted.

Here are some of the projects currently resulting in road closures and detours:

Ustick/Cleveland: The intersection of Ustick and Cleveland Boulevard continues to be narrowed to two lanes to allow for part of Cleveland Boulevard to be reconstructed. Currently, the Cleveland Boulevard traffic is planned to be switched to the south side of Cleveland the week of June 8, with Cleveland being opened to its regular traffic pattern by September 15.

Ustick/Florida Roundabout: This intersection is currently closed, allowing the installation of utilities that must be constructed before the roundabout is constructed. Once the utility work is completed the roundabout construction will commence. Currently, plans are to open the intersection by mid-November.

Ustick/Indiana Roundabout Widening: This intersection will close on May 26, allowing the installation of utilities that must be constructed before the roundabout is constructed. Within three weeks after that date, the utility work will be completed and the roundabout widening will commence. Currently, plans are to open the intersection by mid-November.

Chip sealing will begin on June 5. Preparations are already underway and the Caldwell Street Department will be performing street maintenance, such as sweeping, flushing, patching, and seal coating. Seal coating will begin on May 31. Please watch for trucks, rollers, other heavy equipment, and, flagging personnel directing traffic. "No Parking" signs will be posted on streets to be seal-coated up to two days prior. You can find the map of the chip seal areas here: Chip Seal Information | Caldwell, ID (cityofcaldwell.org)

Ustick/Middleton Roundabout: This intersection is anticipated to close in July, allowing for the construction of a roundabout at this intersection. Currently, plans are to open the intersection by the end of December 2023.

Hwy 20/26 and KCID: As part of ITD's US Highway 20/26 widening project, ITD will be closing the south leg of the intersection for several weeks. The exact dates are yet to be determined by ITD. For questions concerning this project and/or the detour please contact ITD District 3.

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Hwy 20/26 and Smeed Parkway: As part of ITD's US Highway 20/26 widening project, ITD will be closing portions of the south leg of this intersection. The whole south leg of Smeed Parkway is not anticipated to be closed at once but lanes may be reduced for several weeks to accommodate the ITD project. The exact dates are yet to be determined.

You can always find the latest road closures in Caldwell here: <u>Road Closures | Caldwell, ID</u> (cityofcaldwell.org)