



Grierson Hill to close for bridge construction

October 12, 2016

Starting Thursday, October 13, there will be two full weekend closures of Grierson Hill Road between Connors Road and the Louise McKinney Park entrance. This closure is required for construction of a pedestrian bridge as part of the Mechanized River Valley Access project. Vehicle, pedestrian, and cyclist detours will be in place to accommodate this work.

Grierson Hill Road will be closed:

- **Thursday, October 13 at 7 p.m. to Tuesday, October 18 at 6 a.m.**
- **Thursday, October 20 at 7 p.m. to Tuesday, October 25 at 6 a.m.**

Any potential carry-over work will require a closure from **October 27 to November 1**.

Northbound traffic on the Low Level Bridge, eastbound traffic on Rosedale Road/100 Street, and westbound traffic on 101 Avenue will detour north to Jasper Avenue. Access to Louise McKinney Park and the Shaw Conference Centre will be maintained from the top of Grierson Hill Road.

Pedestrian and cyclist access to north side trails will be limited between the Low Level Bridge and Dawson Bridge. Closure signs will be in place to let trail users know about the closures. Users are advised to go through downtown or use south side river valley trails to get around the closure. Pedestrians may take ETS downtown from stop #1190 north of the Low Level Bridge. Full detour maps are available [here](#).

Bridge construction will include moving a 400-tonne crane on and off site to erect steel girders across Grierson Hill Road. The girders will then be covered with precast concrete deck panels.

The City thanks Edmontonians for their patience as we continue work on creating an accessible, inclusive connection between downtown and the river valley.

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