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GRANT ROAD AND ORACLE ROAD INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Beginning Monday morning, March 21, 2011, Tucson Electric Power's contractor, Sturgeon Electric, will begin utility relocation work in preparation for the Grant Road and Oracle Road Intersection Improvement project. The majority of this phase of work will be on the south side of Grant Road behind the curb with intermittent curb lane closures to allow crews and equipment to move around safely within the construction area. Work hours for this project are 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Grant Road and Oracle Road Intersection Improvement project is scheduled to begin in early Fall 2011.

This intersection improvement project is the first of many projects the Tucson Department of Transportation (TDOT) has planned along the Grant Road Corridor.

The Grant Road Improvement Plan is managed by the City of Tucson and funded by the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA). The improvement of Grant Road is one of the projects approved by voters in May 2006 as part of the RTA plan.

The Tucson Department of Transportation (TDOT) keeps Tucson moving smoothly and safely. The Department's nearly 250 employees oversee the maintenance and reconstruction of nearly 1,900 miles of streets and are responsible for hundreds of drainage structures, public art pieces, street lights and signs, and traffic signs and signals in Tucson. TDOT also operates the City's transit services, Sun Tran and Sun Van

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