



Traffic Alert

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INNER LOOP BELTWAY EXIT RAMP TRAFFIC SHIFT AT ROUTE 50 *Beginning Friday Night, Dec. 11 – For Six to Eight Months*

ALEXANDRIA— On Friday night, Dec. 11, a traffic shift will occur at Exit 50 on I-495 north, and at the on-ramps from Route 50 west to I-495 north, according to the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT). The traffic shift will be in place for the next six to eight months to allow for new bridge construction as part of the Capital Beltway High Occupancy Toll (HOT) Lanes project.

At 9:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11, crews will begin to re-stripe pavement. This traffic shift will not require lane closures. The new traffic pattern will be in effect by 7 a.m. Saturday. The exit ramp traffic shift for I-495 north will begin near the Gallows Road interchange heading toward Exit 50, Arlington Boulevard (Route 50). The on-ramp merge from Route 50 west and Fairview Park to I-495 north will also be reconfigured.

Motorists should expect delays approaching the interchange during peak travel periods.

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Arlington Boulevard (Route 50) Phase 2 Project Fact Sheet

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I-495 North and Arlington Boulevard (Route 50) Traffic Shift Map

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