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Wakefield Park Pedestrian Bridge Closed Temporarily May be closed for up to 8 weeks

Bridge closed to heighten current structure and build new access ramp

As part of the Capital Beltway HOT Lanes project, the existing Wakefield Park Pedestrian Bridge is being raised approximately two feet, extended 30 feet to the west and a new access ramp is also being built on the outer loop side of the Capital Beltway.

Bridge Closure

The Capital Beltway HOT Lanes project team had built a temporary access ramp to keep the bridge open while the bridge extension and modifications were underway. VDOT is currently assessing the design of the temporary access ramp. Until this review is completed VDOT has directed the bridge to remain closed.

Path Forward

While the VDOT review continues, construction personnel are working to finish the permanent access ramp as well as raise and lengthen the bridge. **The reconstructed bridge and new ramp are expected to be completed and open by late October 2010.**

Our construction crews will work with VDOT to reopen the bridge extension and new ramp as soon as possible to minimize the duration of the bridge closure.



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