



Traffic Advisory

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BRIDGE DEMOLITION THIS WEEKEND IN GRAPEVINE NorthGate Constructors to close multiple highways for operation

GRAPEVINE (June 20, 2019) — NorthGate Constructors will conduct the first bridge demolition of the I-635/SH 121 interchange project this weekend from 8 PM Friday, 6/21 to 6 AM Monday, 6/24. Crews will remove the old northbound SH 26 bridge to northbound SH 121, as the new bridge will be completed and open to traffic tonight. The following closures are needed to safely conduct the work:

From 8 PM Friday, 6/21 to 6 AM Monday, 6/24:

- Full closure on northbound SH 121 at Bass Pro Drive. Traffic will be detoured to the frontage road.
- Full closure on northbound SH 26 off-ramp to northbound SH 121. Traffic will be detoured to Bass Pro Drive.
- Full closure on southbound SH 121 at FM 2499/Grapevine Mills Parkway. Traffic will be detoured to the frontage road.
- Full closure on southbound SH 121 frontage road at Grapevine Mills Trail. Traffic will be detoured to SH 26.
- Full closure on southbound FM 2499 from Grapevine Mills Boulevard to SH 121. Traffic will be detoured to the frontage road.
- Full closure on westbound I-635 off-ramps to northbound SH 121/FM 2499 and southbound SH 121/eastbound SH 114/DFW Airport. Traffic will be detoured to Bass Pro Drive.
- [Click here for a detour map.](#)

Drivers should plan accordingly during this work and add extra time to their commute. This is the first bridge demolition operation of the project, with more planned for this summer and as the project progresses. We encourage everyone to visit dfwconnector.com to stay up-to-date on all major upcoming operations along the project. Please note all construction work is dependent on weather conditions.

The \$371 million I-635/SH 121 Interchange project will increase capacity and connectivity between I-635, SH 121, SH 26 and FM 2499. The improvements were included in the original \$1.6 billion DFW Connector project, but funds were not available at that time to deliver the entire scope. These improvements are now funded as part of the Texas Department of Transportation's Texas Clear Lanes initiative, which aims at improving congested corridors across the state.

For information about construction of the DFW Connector, including all current and upcoming lane closures, visit dfwconnector.com, or call the toll-free hotline at 877-411-4212. The DFW Connector can also be found on Twitter ([@DFWConnector](https://twitter.com/DFWConnector)) and Facebook ([DFW Connector Project](https://www.facebook.com/DFWConnector)). For information about the Texas Clear Lanes initiative, visit www.texasclearlanes.com.



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