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East-west traffic at S. Colony/Main to shut down during switch

THE COLONY, Texas — As [previously announced](#), the Texas Department of Transportation is preparing for a major traffic switch on Main Street as part of the ongoing [Main Street Widening Project](#).

Originally scheduled for overnight May 24-25, the switch will now take place from 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. overnight Wednesday, May 25, to Thursday, May 26. The switch entails shifting of southbound traffic on Main between Cougar Alley and just north of South Colony Boulevard to the east onto newly paved road. Also, both north- and southbound traffic between Cougar Alley and SH121 will be shifted to the west onto newly paved road.

Given the significance of the changes in the traffic patterns both during and after the switch, officials have deemed it necessary to shut down east-west cross traffic at the intersection of Main Street and South Colony Boulevard for the next 24-48 hours due to safety concerns. Traffic will still be moving north- and southbound through the intersection and right turns off Main Street will be allowed but not left turns.

Motorists are encouraged to reduce their speed and drive with caution through construction zones at all times but especially during this switch as lane configurations are changing.

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