





I-95 SOUTHBOUND RAPPAHANNOCK RIVER CROSSING

Virtual Construction Open House

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Welcome!

Tonight's Agenda

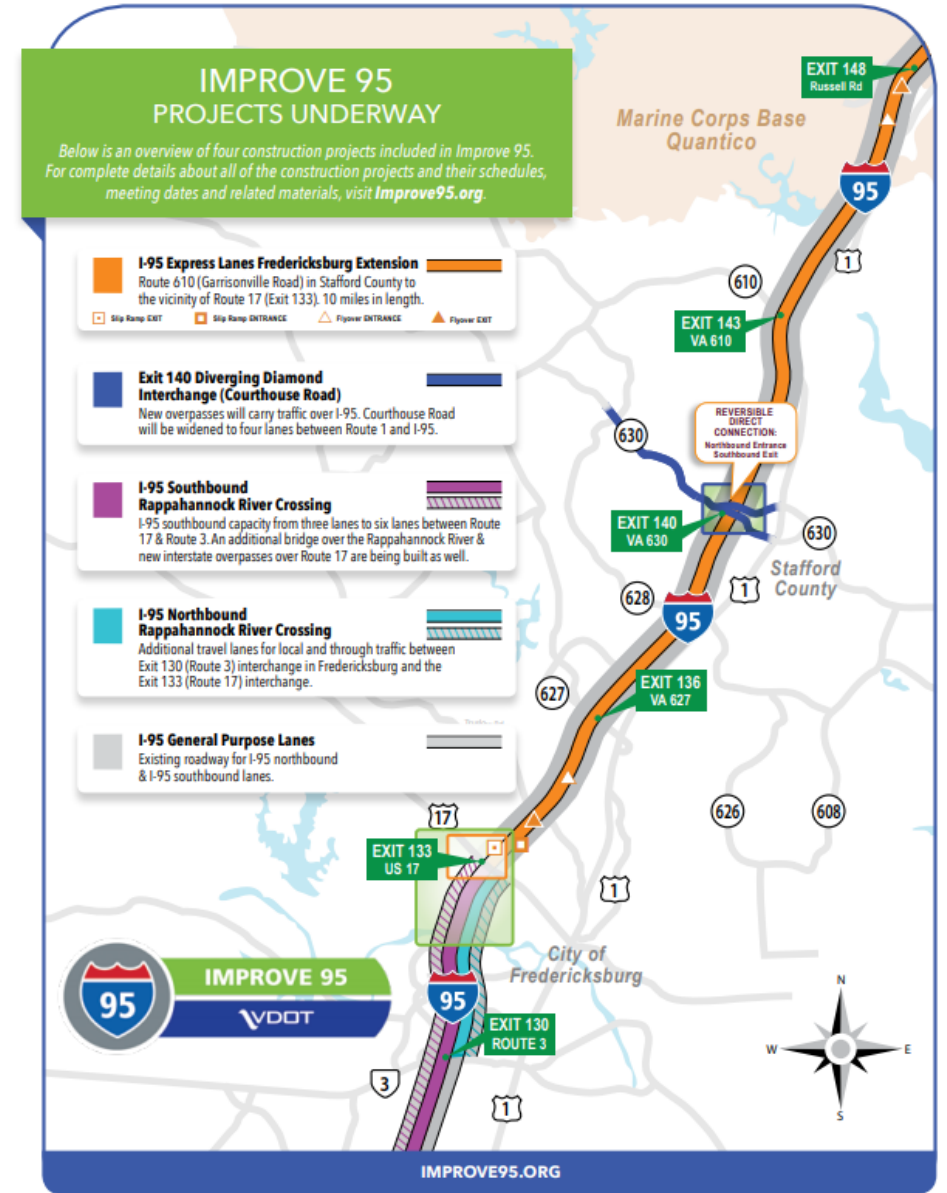


- **I-95 Southbound Rappahannock River Crossing project update**
- **Changes coming to Exit 133 at Route 17 in Stafford County**
- **Update on other I-95 construction in this region**
- **How can I stay updated?**

And, time for your questions!

Interstate 95 Projects Fredericksburg Area

- I-95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension
- I-95 Rappahannock River Crossing – NB and SB
- I-95 Exit 126 Southbound Ramp Improvement
- I-95 Exit 140 Diverging Diamond Interchange (*complete*)



PROJECT TIMELINE



I-95 Southbound Rappahannock River Crossing

Construction began: August 2018

Construction complete: May 2022

Construction cost: \$132 million

Design-build team: Wagman Heavy Civil and JMT Engineering

- Converts I-95 southbound lanes to three local lanes
- In the median, new construction of 3 lanes for I-95 southbound traffic traveling through Fredericksburg region
- New lanes will start before Route 17 in Stafford County and continue south of Route 3 in City of Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania County
- New I-95 bridge under construction over the Rappahannock River to carry new southbound lanes in the median
- Replaces Route 17 overpasses

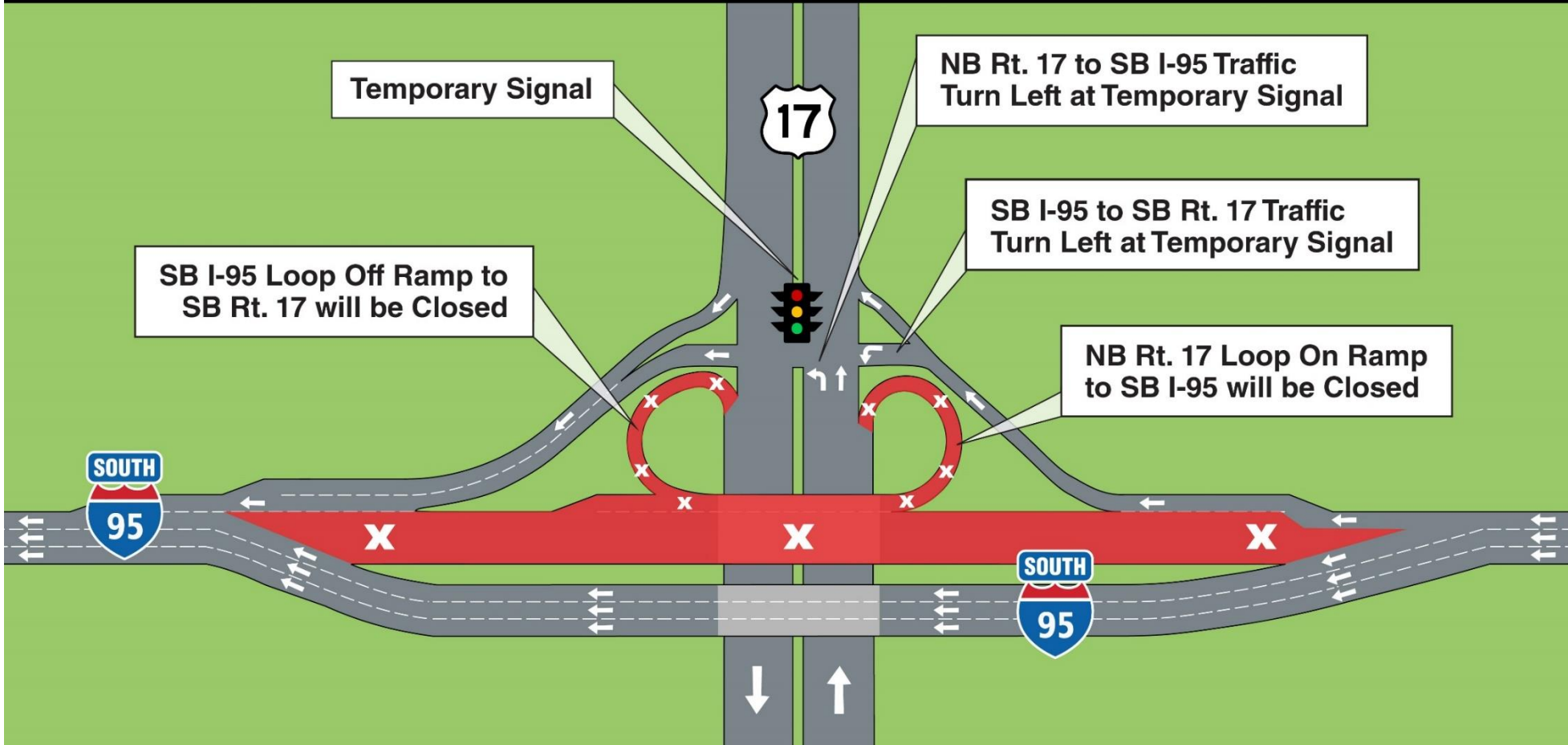


Project milestones: Finished

- Project is 60 percent complete
- Replaced Route 17 northbound overpass
- Built new Route 17 southbound median overpass
- Extensive clearing + grading in median
- Intermediate paving in portions of median
- Rappahannock River Crossing bridge piers



I-95 SOUTH AT EXIT 133 (ROUTE 17)



Monday, October 5
New Route 17 temporary traffic signals start to flash at I-95

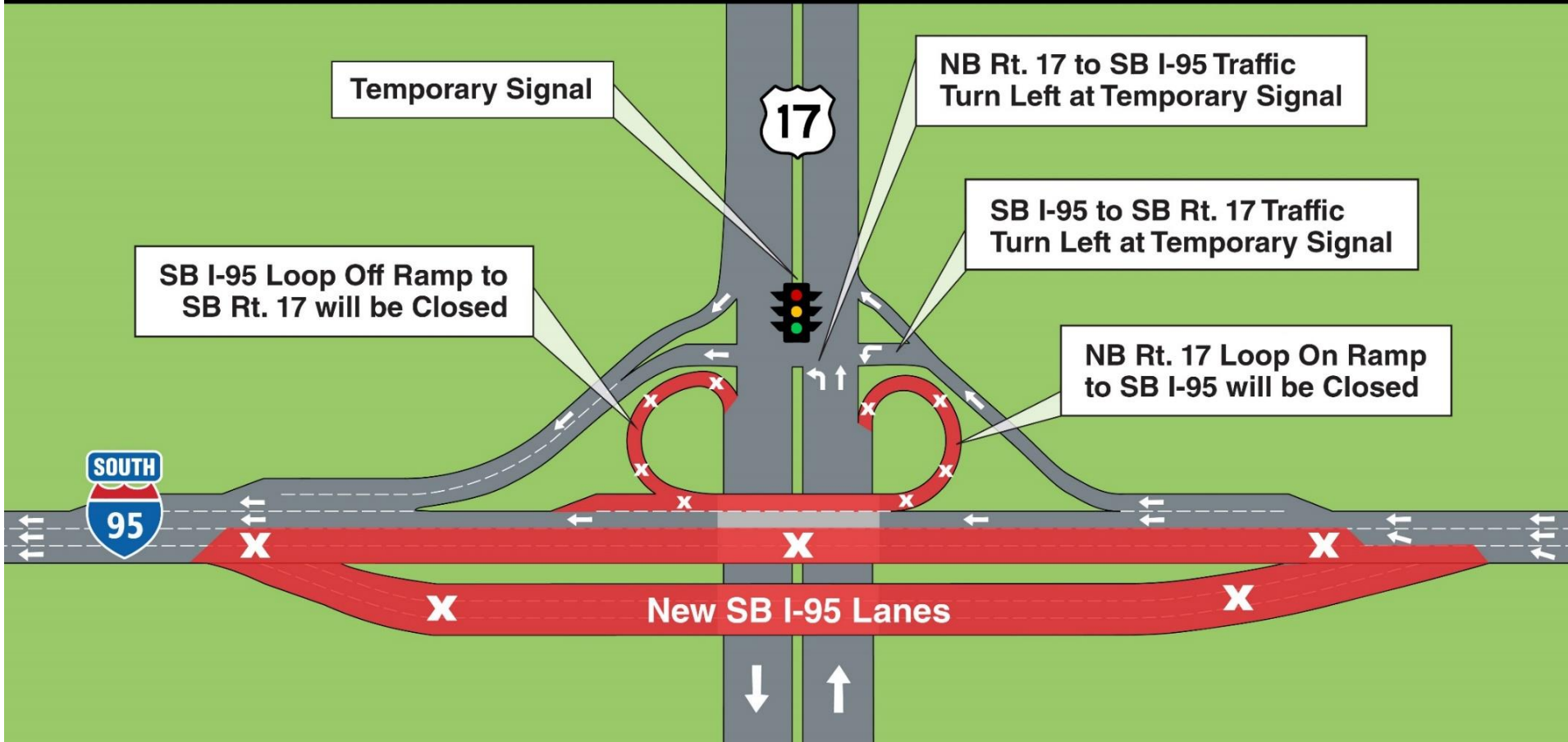
**Tuesday, October 7-
Wednesday, October 8
(overnight)**
Exit 133 loop ramps close at overpass

All I-95 southbound traffic traveling to Route 17 uses Exit 133 A ramp

Route 17 northbound traffic uses left turn lane at signal to enter I-95 northbound

**Tuesday, October 13 –
Wednesday,
October 14**
I-95 southbound shift to median overpass

I-95 SOUTH AT EXIT 133 (ROUTE 17)



7 p.m. Tuesday, October 13
I-95 southbound reduced to 2 lanes near Exit 133

9 p.m. Tuesday, October 13
I-95 southbound reduced to single lane near Exit 133

2 p.m. Wednesday, October 14
All southbound lanes reopen, with traffic traveling over median overpass

Traffic Simulation Videos: I-95, Route 17

Click link to play:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KgLioteG0y8&feature=youtu.be>

I-95 Overpass at Truslow Road: Upcoming Lane Closures



Looking south along I-95 from the 95 Express Lanes work zone to replace the Truslow Road overpass in Stafford County at mile marker 134. Crews will be placing bridge beams to span the travel lanes beginning October 5, weather permitting

Staying Safe in Highway Work Zones



DO'S and DON'TS:

DO	DON'T
 Expect the unexpected	 Tailgate
 Follow the signs	 Speed
 Focus and minimize distractions	 Change lanes in the work zone
 Be patient	
 Check traffic conditions using 511	



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RESPECT THE **ZONE**

Stay informed!



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