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**Long-Term Construction on 67<sup>th</sup> Ave.**

**GLENDALE, Ariz.** – Drivers who travel along 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue from Camelback Road to Glendale Avenue and 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue from Olive Avenue to north of Thunderbird Road will experience restrictions beginning in April 2008 as the city works to add new sidewalks, curbs and other road improvements in the area.

The city of Glendale's 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue corridor improvement project has been divided into two sections and construction will occur simultaneously.

Infrastructure improvements along 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue from Camelback to Glendale will begin March 31, 2008 and is scheduled to be complete in Jan. 2009. Some of the improvements include new curb and sidewalk at select locations; under grounding of some overhead power lines; landscaping; bus shelter enhancements, street lighting and traffic signal improvements.

The second section involves 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue from Olive Avenue to north of Thunderbird and this construction is scheduled for May 2008 and is scheduled to be complete by April 2009. Improvements include storm drain replacement; adding new turning lanes; curb and sidewalk improvement, landscaping, street lighting and traffic signal improvements at the intersections of Olive, Cactus, Thunderbird and Sweetwater.

Heavy traffic is expected during the rush hour commute. The Glendale Transportation Department encourages drivers to plan accordingly.

Message boards have been installed to let the public know of the restrictions.

For more information, call 1-877-203-0042 or visit

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