



## TRAFFIC ADVISORY

### **Expect lane closures on Sunset Highway, St. Johns Bridge this weekend**

*Tree removal, drain cleaning projects may create short delays in the Metro area*

Oregon Department of Transportation maintenance crews will close lanes at a couple of locations in the Portland Metro area this weekend. Motorists should expect short delays during the work, which is scheduled to take place as follows:

- ◆ **On Saturday, Nov. 1, and Sunday, Nov. 2, crews will close the right two lanes of westbound U.S. 26 (Sunset Highway) between the Vista Ridge Tunnel and the Zoo exit.** The lane closures, which will take place both days from 5 a.m. to 1 p.m., will allow crews to remove approximately 30 trees for preventative maintenance of the area ahead of the winter storm season. During the removal of some of these trees, crews may temporarily close all lanes of eastbound and westbound Sunset Highway for safety reasons. These temporary closures are not expected to last more than 5-10 minutes.
- ◆ **On Sunday, Nov. 2, and Sunday, Nov. 9, alternating right lane closures on the St. Johns Bridge will be required to allow crews to clean the drains.** The schedule calls for the crews to work on the southbound direction of the bridge (away from St. Johns) on Nov. 2, and the northbound direction (towards St. Johns) on Nov. 9. Please be aware that the schedule may change depending on how fast the drain cleaning progresses.

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