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TRAFFIC REVISIONS AT ENTRANCE TO OUTSIDE LOT AND PARKING STRUCTURES

(Spokane, Washington) -- On Monday, April 11, Spokane International Airport begins Phase 1 of a series of construction projects to unify the appearance of the parking areas, including signage changes for improved way-finding. The project will include demolition of the parking garage entry canopy and temporary signage modifications.

Construction Schedule

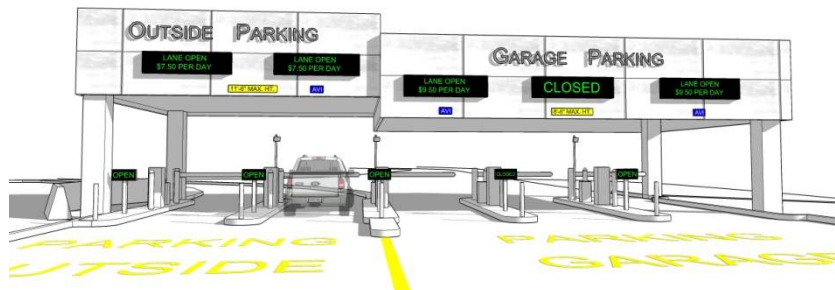
Monday, April 11th at 3:00am: Traffic detour signs will be posted on inbound Airport Drive to instruct travelers of temporary changes to the entry into the outside economy parking lot and covered parking garages. The outside parking entrance will be limited to the first entrance, approximately 300 feet beyond the intersection of McFarlane Road and Airport Drive. The parking garage entrance will be re-routed through the emergency entrance, approximately 300 feet beyond the entry canopy. Time tickets for the parking garage will be provided by an attendant.

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Monday, April 11th at 5:00am: Detours will begin for both the parking garage entrance and the outside parking entrance. Demolition of the entrance canopy will also begin at this time, including: contractor setup, and removal of roofing material, signage, etc. Two hydraulic cranes will be mobilized to start demolition and removal of the concrete canopy structure.

Demolition of the garage concrete entry canopy is scheduled between Monday, April 11th and Friday, April 15th. Construction vehicles will be sharing the road to facilitate demolition and removal of construction debris. New signage will be installed at the parking garage and outside parking entrance to assist in way-finding. This signage will remain in place until a new parking garage entry canopy is installed.

Morning of Saturday, April 16th: Detour signage on Airport drive will be removed and the parking garage and outside parking entry will be re-opened. The four columns of the existing canopy will remain in place for re-use on a new parking garage entry canopy.



Concept drawing of new entry canopy

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Additional Phases

Spokane International Airport and the contractor will cooperate to administer these changes as seamlessly as possible. Travelers and airport visitors should anticipate improvements in the clarity of directions surrounding the various parking areas over the next several phases of Spokane International Airport construction projects.

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