



# DIRECTOR'S REPORT

TRANSPORTATION BOARD  
DECEMBER 3, 2018



# EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

OVERHEAD POWER LINES WERE REPAIRED BY NV ENERGY DURING THE FULL CLOSURE OF I-580 BETWEEN US 50 AND BOWERS MANSION ROAD ON NOVEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup> AND 18<sup>TH</sup>, 7 A.M. TO 1 P.M. EACH DAY. OPENED EARLY AT 9:30 A.M. ON NOVEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>.

NDOT MAINTENANCE WAS ABLE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE CLOSURE AND PERFORMED MAINTENANCE ON THE ROADWAY AND CLEANED DRAINAGE PIPES AND STORM DRAIN INLETS.





# FEDERAL UPDATE

- SHORT TERM EXTENSION FOR SURFACE TRANSPORTATION FUNDING IS EXPECTED BEFORE EXPIRATION OF CONTINUING RESOLUTION ON DECEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> ; FFY 19 APPROPRIATIONS BILL LIKELY DELAYED TO EARLY 2019
- DEMOCRAT LEADERSHIP IS SUPPORTIVE OF AN INFRASTRUCTURE BILL WHEN CONGRESS CONVENES IN 2019



# XPRESS WEST UPDATE

- BRIGHTLINE IS TEAMING WITH BILLIONAIRE RICHARD BRANSON TO BECOME VIRGIN TRAINS USA
- NDOT AND AG'S OFFICE ARE FINALIZING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WHICH LAYS OUT HOW NDOT WILL WORK WITH THE PRIVATE COMPANY TO SUPPORT THEIR PROJECT (STAFF REVIEWS OF DESIGN SUBMITTALS, ACCOMMODATION ON PLANNED PROJECTS ON I-15, etc.)
- NDOT-FHWA COORDINATION MEETING SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>





SPAGHETTI BOWL



PRESS

UPDATE

- DRAFT EIS HAS BEEN POSTED FOR PUBLIC REVIEW
- PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup> AT RENO-SPARKS CONVENTION CENTER, 3 P.M. – 7:30 P.M.
- PRESENTATIONS WILL BE BROADCAST ON FACEBOOK LIVE AT 3:30 P.M. AND 5:30 P.M.
- COMMENT PERIOD OPEN TO JANUARY 15, 2019.



# NEW CHAIN REQUIREMENTS

- NEW WINTER TRACTION REQUIREMENTS WENT INTO EFFECT RECENTLY ON MOUNTAIN ROADS IN DISTRICT 2
- AFFECTS PORTIONS OF SR 431, US 50 AND SR 207
- CHAINS OR 4WD/AWD WITH SNOW TIRES ARE REQUIRED DURING WINTER SNOW STORMS

**WHEN FLASHING**

**CHAINS OR  
4WD/AWD WITH  
SNOW TIRES  
REQUIRED**



**MUD AND SNOW TIRE  
SYMBOL ON TIRES**





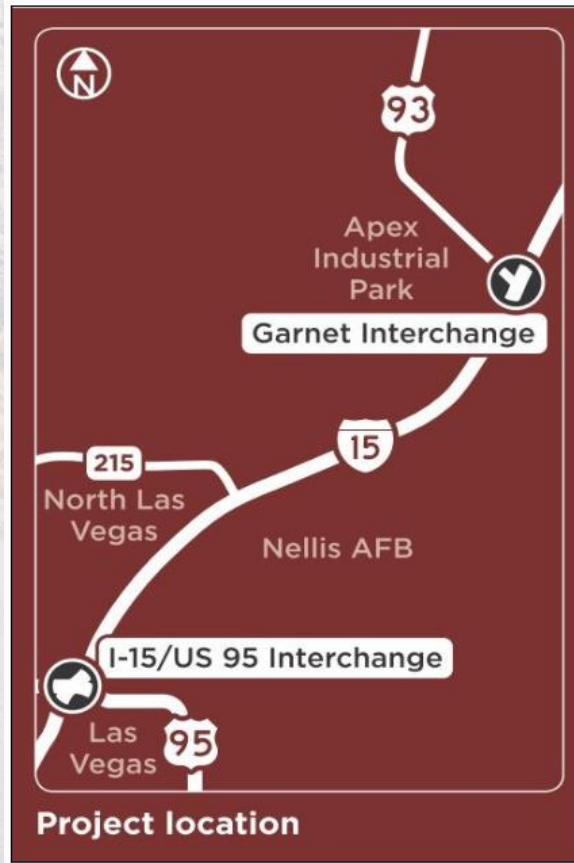
# MT. ROSE HIGHWAY ROAD SAFETY ASSESSMENT (RSA)

- COORDINATING RSA RESULTS WITH WASHOE COUNTY AND RTC OF WASHOE COUNTY
- A MT. ROSE HIGHWAY (SR 431) COMMUNITY MEETING TO PRESENT THE RSA RESULTS IS SCHEDULED ON DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup> AT SOUTH VALLEYS LIBRARY, 6 - 8 P.M.





# GARNET INTERCHANGE RIBBON CUTTING



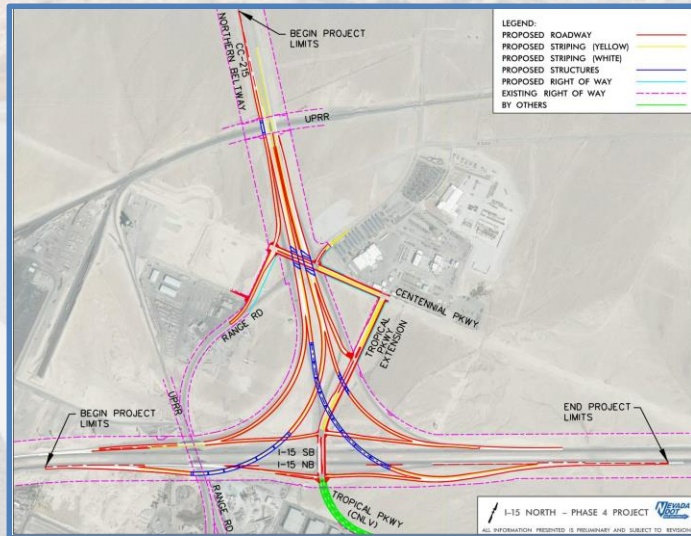
PLANNED FOR DECEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup>





# UPCOMING PUBLIC MEETING

- DECEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup> – PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING FOR I-15 NORTH/ CLARK COUNTY 215 BELTWAY INTERCHANGE PROJECT





# RUMBLE STRIPS

## 2 LANE RURAL HIGHWAYS

- CHANGES TO CURRENT STANDARD DETAILS COMMITTEE:
  - Transportation Board Members B.J. Almberg and Len Savage
  - District 3 Asst. District Engineer-Steve Baer
  - District 1 Asst. District Engineer – Mario Gomez
  - Materials Division - Nathan Morian
  - Bicycle & Pedestrian Group - Jamie Borino & Bill Story
  - Standards and Compliance - Eric Dimit
  - Traffic Safety Engineer - Ken Mammen
- Special thanks to Chris Gonzalez, Traffic Safety, for detail modifications to NDOT Standard Plans



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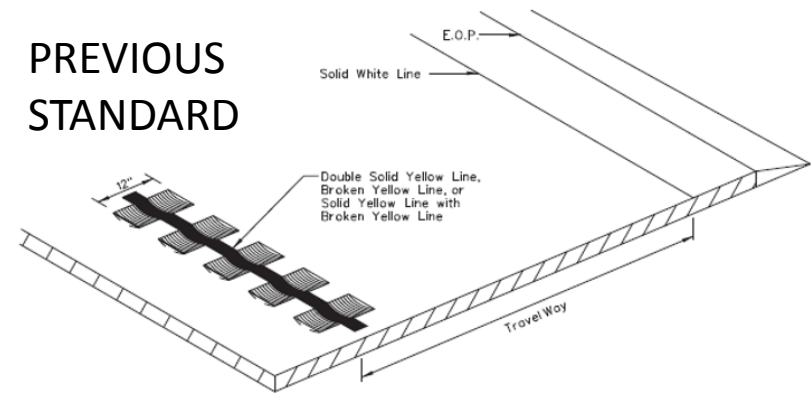


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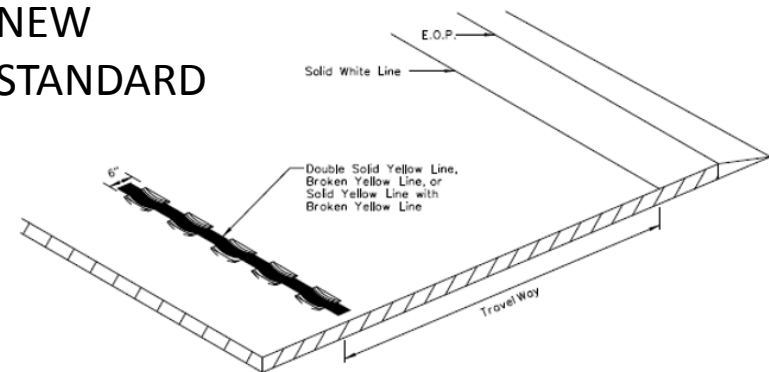
RUMBLE STRIP WIDTH  
REDUCED TO 6 INCHES  
(PREVIOUSLY 12 INCHES)

### PREVIOUS STANDARD



RUMBLE STRIP DETAIL

### NEW STANDARD



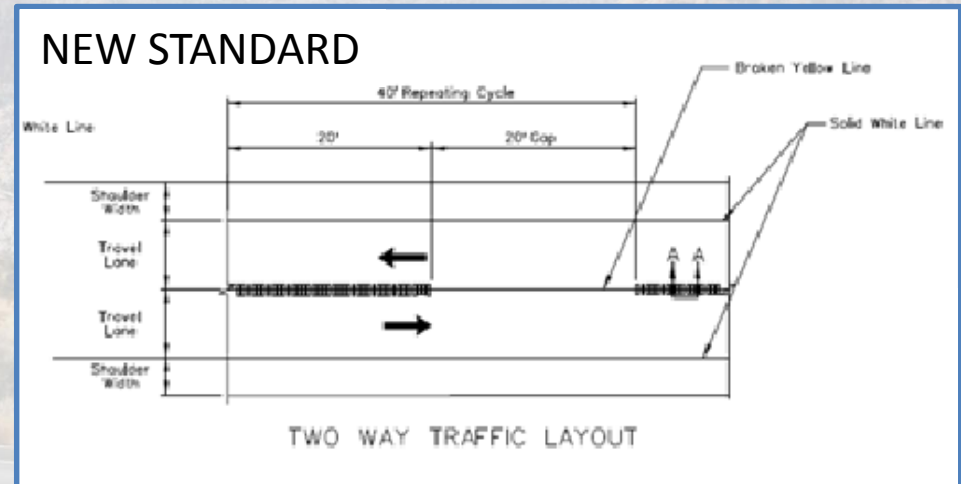
RUMBLE STRIP DETAIL



# RUMBLE STRIPS

## 2 LANE RURAL HIGHWAYS

40 FOOT REPEATING  
CYCLE  
(PREVIOUSLY  
CONTINUOUS)





# RECENT SETTLEMENTS & VERDICTS

- NO SETTLEMENTS REQUESTED AT DECEMBER 2018 BOARD OF EXAMINERS MEETING



# THANK YOU TO DEPARTING TRANSPORTATION BOARD MEMBERS



LT. GOVERNOR  
MARK HUTCHISON

VICE-CHAIR



GOVERNOR  
BRIAN SANDOVAL

CHAIRMAN



STATE CONTROLLER  
RON KNECHT

BOARD MEMBER



**QUESTIONS?**



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