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TRAFFIC ADVISORY

The public is advised that highway bridge girders will be transported from the Lafarge Plant to the site of the PTH 59 South Bridge from March 1, 2007 to March 19, 2007 as part of the Red River Floodway Expansion Project.

To reduce traffic disruption to the public, the girders will be transported at night between 10:00 pm and 6:30 am.

The girders will be transported from the Lafarge Concrete Plant (185 Dawson Road North) south along Dawson Road to Lagimodiere Highway to the PTH 59 South Bridge Site.

The public is advised to exercise caution and to expect delays when in the vicinity of the girders during their transport. The public is encouraged to travel on alternative routes, if possible.

The pre-stressed, pre-cast girders are approximately 2 metres (6 feet) high, 43.5 metres (130.5 feet) in length, and weigh over 63,000 kgs.

The Manitoba Floodway Authority (MFA) would like to thank you for your co-operation in ensuring the safety of the public.

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NOTE: The schedule and route is tentative and subject to change and dependant on favourable weather conditions.

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Map of Girder Delivery for the PTH 59 South Bridge

