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TRAFFIC ADVISORY - UPDATE

To facilitate weekend traffic, the Manitoba Floodway Authority (MFA) is advising the public that two lane traffic on the eastbound direction on the Trans Canada Highway (TCH) No. 1 East from PTH 100/101 to PR 207 (Deacon's Corner) will be restored as of 2:00 pm on Friday, June 30. In the westbound direction, current restrictions limiting traffic to one lane will remain in place to facilitate construction.

For the month of July, temporary lane closures on the eastbound lane may be required, however every effort will be made to ensure that two lane traffic is restored for Friday afternoons. In mid-July a temporary signal will be activated for the northbound ramp from the Perimeter Highway entering the Trans-Canada Highway. The public is advised to expect delays at this new intersection.

The public is reminded that the speed limit in the vicinity of the floodway expansion project is restricted to 70 km/h and 60 km/h when passing construction workers and equipment.

Earlier this month, restrictions limiting traffic to one lane in both directions were imposed to facilitate construction of the Trans-Canada Highway East Bridge as part of the Red River Floodway Expansion Project.

The Manitoba Floodway Authority would like to thank you for exercising caution when traveling in the vicinity of the floodway expansion project. Thank you for your co-operation and patience as the floodway expansion project proceeds.

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