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TRAFFIC-CONTROL CHANGES ON MAGEE ROAD

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**CORTARO FARMS ROAD/MAGEE ROAD: THORNYDALE ROAD TO ORACLE ROAD
IMPROVEMENT PROJECT**

Pima County, Ariz. (Aug. 12, 2011) - On Monday, Aug. 15, Pima County Department of Transportation, the Regional Transportation Authority and contractor The Ashton Company will change the traffic control signals on Magee Road while crews construct the northern section of the road.

THREE-WAY-STOP AT THE MAGEE ROAD AND LA CHOLLA BOULEVARD INTERSECTION

The signals at the intersection of La Cholla Boulevard and east bound Magee will be replaced with a 3-way stop. Traffic approaching the area will be required to stop and then proceed through the area with caution.

The current southbound lane closures in place on La Cholla Boulevard between Magee Road and Foothill Malls Drive will remain in effect.

Traffic on westbound Magee will be reduced to two travel lanes, one in each direction.

All left-turn lanes will be restricted during this phase of construction. This traffic control will remain in place until late fall 2011.

Motorists should expect delays and are reminded to obey the 25 mph speed limit through the construction zone.

All businesses will remain accessible during construction.

In the event of mechanical failure or inclement weather, the schedule is subject to change.

For more information, contact Annabelle Valenzuela, Community Relations Manager at (520) 740-6410 or visit the project website at <http://roadprojects.pima.gov/CortaroMagee/>.

The Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) is the fiscal manager of the \$2.1 billion plan approved by Pima County voters on May 16, 2006. The RTA Board is comprised of representatives from local jurisdictions in Pima County, including the cities of Tucson and South Tucson, Pima County, the towns of Marana, Oro Valley, and Sahuarita, the Pascua Yaqui Tribe and the Tohono O'odham Nation. A representative of the Arizona State Transportation Board also serves on the board. For more information at the RTA plan, visit www.RTAmobility.com or call (520) 770-0410

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