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US 180 Bridge at Hubbard Creek Reservoir closed for repairs

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STEPHENS COUNTY– US 180 has been closed for repairs at the bridge (known as the Mile Long Bridge) over Hubbard Creek Reservoir west of Breckenridge due to damage.

Traffic is being detoured from Breckenridge to US 183N to US 283S to Albany. Those traveling from Albany to Breckenridge will need to travel US 283N, then take US 183S (south of Throckmorton) to Breckenridge.

TxDOT is working to establish a remedial plan in advance of the repair work, in order to reduce the impact to the traveling public. A date to reopen the bridge has not been established; however, TxDOT is working at this time to coordinate necessary repairs and reopen the bridge as soon as possible.

Emergency responders have been notified of the closure. For emergencies west of the bridge, TxDOT advises that medical or emergency response be directed to Albany. The detour to travel between Albany to Breckenridge takes approximately 30 minutes.

Those with family members or friends traveling US 180 through this area, especially during the holidays, are advised to inform travelers of this closure and to take an alternate route. For road conditions and closures, visit DriveTexas.org.

For media inquiries, contact TxDOT Brownwood District's Public Information Officer at Lisa.Tipton@txdot.gov or (325) 643-0413.

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