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**RENO**  
Memorandum

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**DATE:** March 20, 2025  
**TO:** Mayor and City Council  
**THROUGH:** Jackie Bryant, City Manager  
**FROM:** Kerrie Koski, Public Works Director  
Justin George, Senior Civil Engineer  
**DEPT:** Public Works and City Manager's Office  
**SUBJECT:** Arlington Bridges Project Construction Begins May 2025

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Construction on the Arlington Avenue Bridges Project is scheduled to begin in May 2025. The lead agency, Regional Transportation Commission of Washoe County (RTC), in cooperation with the City of Reno and with the participation of the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT), the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), the U.S. Army Corps of Engineering (USACE), and the Carson-Truckee Water Conservancy District (CTWCD), are replacing the two nearly century-old Arlington Avenue Bridges that have become structurally deficient. The project is located within the City of Reno between Island Avenue and West First Street, including the roadway through Wingfield Park. The North Bridge will be a single-pier structure, and the South Bridge will be a clear span structure. Both bridges will feature an art-deco aesthetic.

This project is included in the FY 2019 Interlocal Agreement between the City of Reno and the Regional Transportation Commission. Jacobs Engineering completed the design and permitting phases, and Granite Construction Company is the Construction Manager At-Risk (CMAR). Construction is scheduled to begin in May 2025.

MJT Consulting developed a communications plan for this project for the RTC. As a part of the communications outreach strategy, the project stakeholders and the public will receive regular communication about the project from MJT Consulting.

The project website, [www.ArlingtonBridges.com](http://www.ArlingtonBridges.com), will provide timely information about the progress, milestones, traffic impacts, river/park updates, and other critical updates.

Public inquiries about the project can be made through a **hotline number at (775) 235-2686**. This is a dedicated point of contact that will be able to address public inquiries promptly. They will actively respond to questions, comments, or concerns to ensure the community remains informed and engaged.

Wingfield Park will be closed to the public beginning May 2025 through the summer of 2026. Truckee River access and recreational use are prohibited around the island as it will be an active work zone.

The diving, pedestrian, and river detours are shown below. These detours are also shown on the website at [www.ArlingtonBridges.com](http://www.ArlingtonBridges.com).



**Arlington Ave Closed**

Between W 1st St and Island Ave



**Wingfield Park Closed**

No public access or events



**Truckee River Closed**

Around Wingfield Park



**Peds/Bikes Prohibited**

Follow guided detour route

### DRIVING DETOUR



## PEDESTRIAN DETOUR



## RIVER DETOUR

