

Ohio Turnpike Bridge Project to Relocate North Coast Inland Trail in Sandusky County

BEREA, Ohio (May 10, 2024) – The Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission will remove its mainline bridge over the North Coast Inland Trail at milepost 83.3 in Sandusky County.

As a result of the bridge construction project, about a one-quarter mile stretch of the trail that runs under the Ohio Turnpike beginning at Waggoner Road in Washington Township will close on May 13, 2024, for relocation. The trail is used exclusively for walking and biking.

A new east-west section of the trail will be built adjacent to the Ohio Turnpike to Waggoner Road; and will continue south along Waggoner Road under the Ohio Turnpike; and will reconnect back to the trail on the south side of the Ohio Turnpike. All trail related work is expected to be completed by mid-November 2024.

The detour for the trail begins on May 13, 2024. Pedestrians and bike riders can follow the posted detour signs, which includes Behring Road to Schultz-Portage Road to the trail and in reverse direction.

The Ohio Turnpike bridge at milepost 83.3 will be removed, filled with dirt, and replaced with pavement. In addition, the turnpike commission has announced plans to redeck the bridge at milepost 83.3 over Waggoner Road.

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