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**May 26, 2023 – CARLISLE, Iowa – Motorists advised of Scotch Ridge Road closing for summer months.**

As part of the Scotch Ridge Road Improvement project, the City of Carlisle has announced that construction is moving into the final two stages after Memorial Day. These two stages consist of the reconstruction of the existing middle lanes on Scotch Ridge Road from Hwy 5 to Bluestem Dr and the construction of the roundabout on Scotch Ridge Road.

As previously shared, the City is asking all motorists to avoid the area when possible. Motorist should utilize the designated detour along Blue Bonnet Drive, Juniper Avenue and S. 8<sup>th</sup> Street. There will be no street parking allowed on the detour route, while Scotch Ridge Road is closed to traffic.

“Now that school is dismissed for the summer, Scotch Ridge Road will be closed from just south of the Bluestem Drive intersection to the detour route on Blue Bonnet,” said Alex Schlader, Project Manager for McClure.

Bluestem Drive will remain open with two-way traffic on both sides of Scotch Ridge Road.

Check [carlisleiowa.org](http://carlisleiowa.org) or the [City of Carlisle, Iowa Facebook](#) page for the latest information on closures and road conditions.