Press release: 2014: 01: 17: 6th Avenue S parking garage entrance will close temporarily

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A major public works project by the City of St. Petersburg will force the closing of the 6th Ave. S entrance to the parking garage starting later today and continuing for the next few weeks. Traffic into the parking garage will be rerouted to the 5th Ave. S entrance.

Meanwhile, the south lane of 6th Ave S will be reopened today for eastbound and westbound traffic. The intersection of 6th Ave. S and 2nd St S will remain open. All crosswalks at 2nd St S and 6th Ave S will remain open.

The project, which involves the replacement of a 30-inch sewer line, is expected to be completed by mid-March. The city is redirecting the traffic as necessary.
Other impacts from the project:

- Street parking along 6th Ave. S between 3rd Street and 1st Street S is prohibited.
- Vehicles travelling west on 6th Avenue S cannot turn left into parking lots 2 and 5 and vehicles exiting the parking lots must turn right only. Utilization of the 1st Street S entrance is strongly encouraged.
- U-Turns are prohibited in the construction zone.

All motorists, pedestrians and bicyclists are urged to be cautious during this period of construction.

Please check back for further updates.

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