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## Saguaro National Park News Release

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***Editor's Note: Please consider adding this information as a traffic warning, as appropriate, to remind drivers of potential delays along this commuter route.***

### Safety Improvement Work on Picture Rocks Road will Resume on February 3

Tucson, AZ – Commuters who use Picture Rocks Road could potentially face delays due to road construction starting on February 3. There will be temporary electronic signage installed during the last week of January to warn motorists of the coming traffic changes and to remind them to slow down upon entering the construction zone.

Work along Picture Rocks Road, as well as short sections of Sandario and Kinney Roads, will include improving signage, striping, and installation of other safety features, including a center-line rumble strip designed to warn drivers if they have crossed into the on-coming lane of traffic.

Drivers should be aware that delays could last up to 30 minutes during commuting hours, possibly longer between 9am and 2pm, Monday through Friday. Crews will not work on the weekends or holidays.

“We are trying to minimize the impact to commuters along Picture Rocks Road as much as possible, and are asking for everyone to be especially careful while crews are out there working,” according to Brad Shattuck, Facility Manager for Saguaro National Park. “It will be a temporary inconvenience with the result being a safer road for everyone who travels it.”

The work is scheduled to continue through March. For more information about Saguaro National Park or the road project, please visit [www.nps.gov/sagu](http://www.nps.gov/sagu).

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