

# Highway Report

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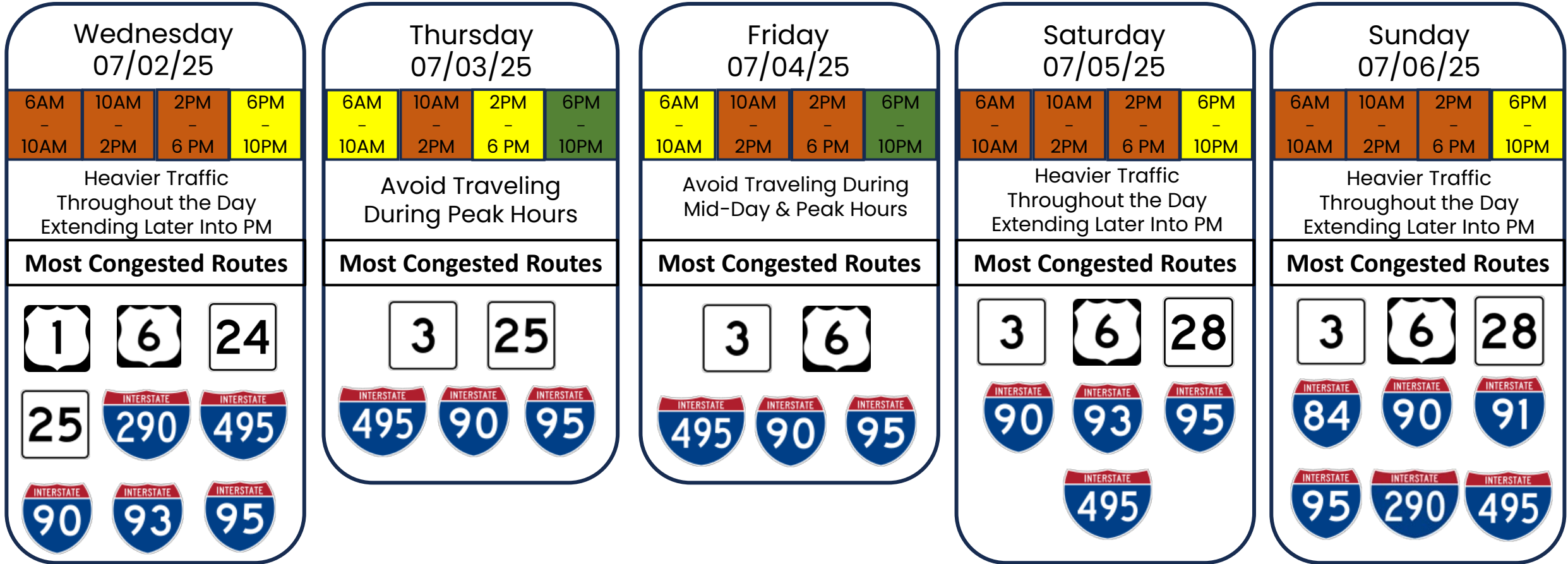


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# Statewide 4<sup>th</sup> of July Traffic Forecast

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# Newton-Weston I-90/I-95 Interchange Project

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- First weekend of lane restrictions lifted at 2:30 a.m. Monday, June 2 – 2.5 hours early
- Travel reduced to one lane in each direction to support demolition of I-90 over Commuter Rail
- Outreach worked: ~30–36% reduction in vehicle volumes
- Project-related work will continue at night in advance of weekend #2 lane restrictions
- **Second weekend of lane restrictions scheduled for Friday, June 20–Monday, June 23**



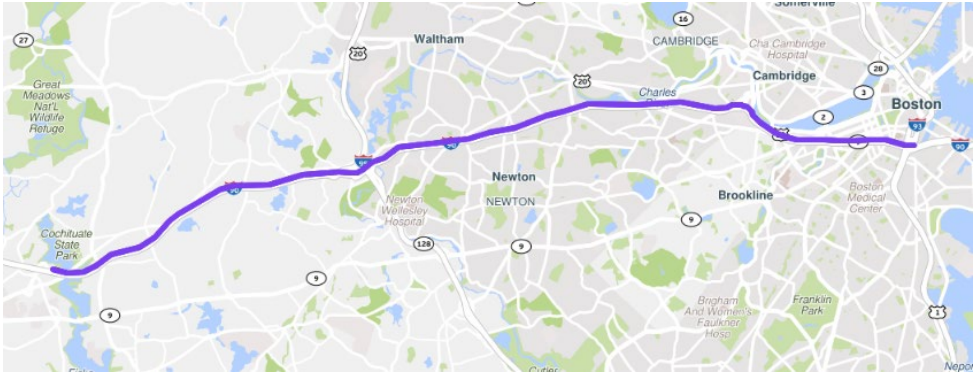
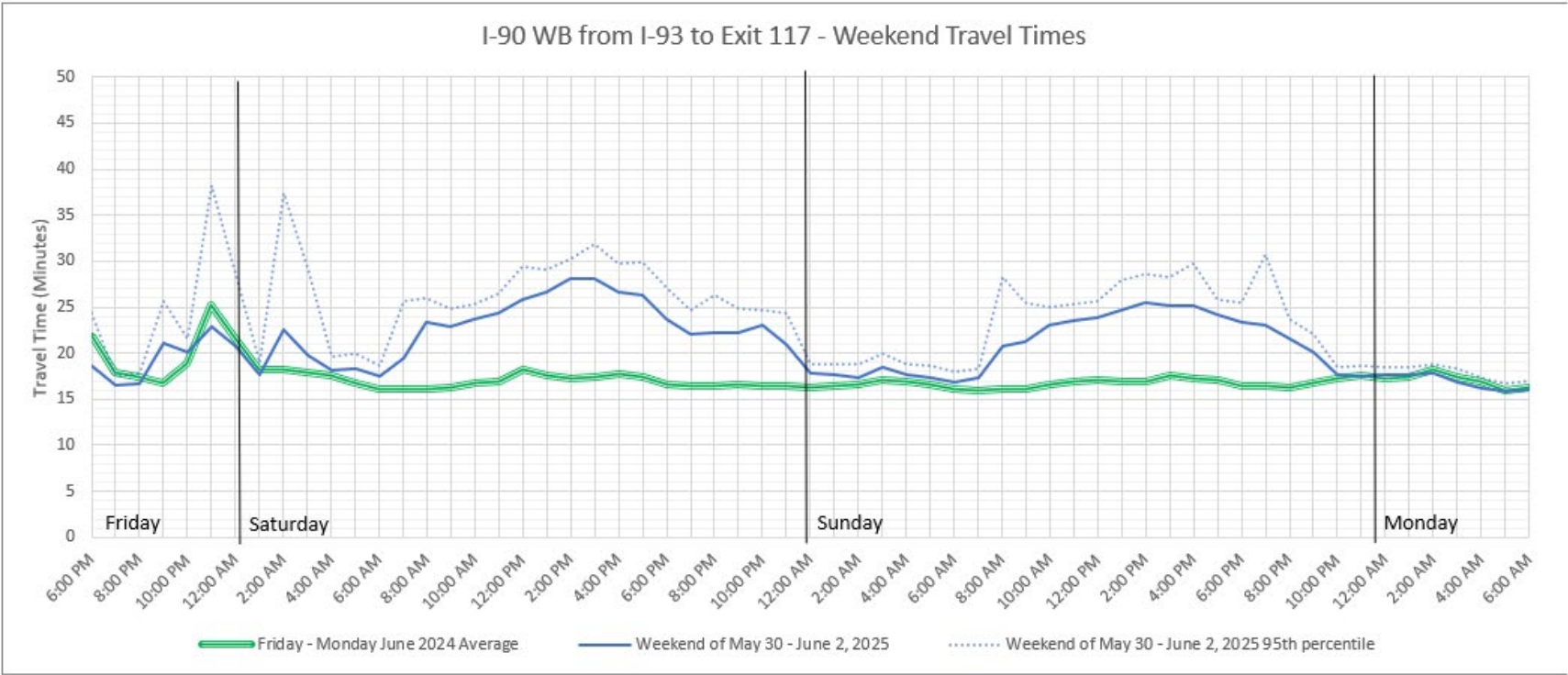
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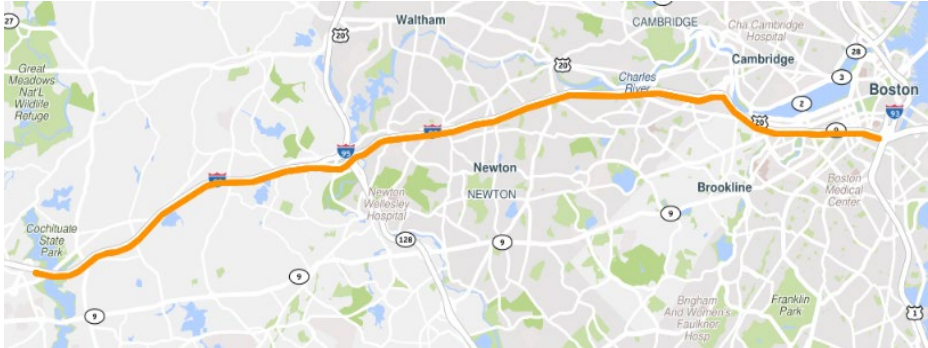
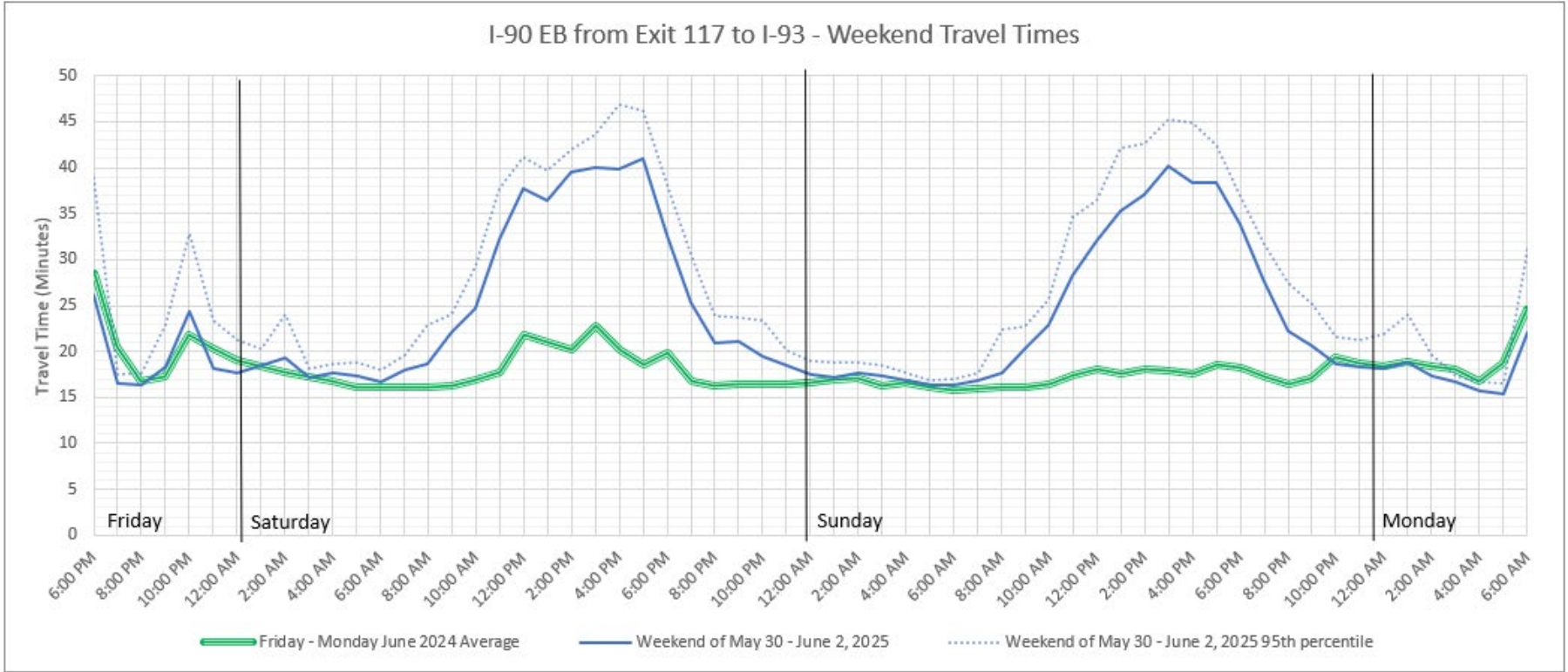
- Accomplished during weekend #1:
- Over 85 contractor personnel employed
- 181 CY of concrete removed
- 18 PBUs installed
- 110 CY of rapid set concrete used
- After-action discussions ongoing:
- Review with public safety for any improvements
- Contractor and subs review plans to ensure success for weekend #2

# Newton-Weston I-90/I-95: I-90 WB travel times 5/30-6/2





# Newton-Weston I-90/I-95: I-90 EB travel times 5/30-6/2





# Touch a Truck – Saturday, June 6

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- Increasingly popular family-friendly event held at six locations statewide
- Allows Highway to connect with communities we serve
- Opportunity for public to meet Highway personnel responsible for maintenance and safety year-round, through all conditions





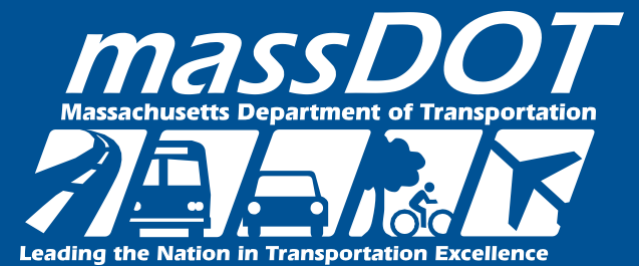
# H.3763 legislative testimony

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- H.3763 would allow MassDOT to apply for a permit to use blue lights on MassDOT construction vehicles
- Used only on MassDOT vehicles
- Used only on interstates and high-speed roadways
- Rear-facing configuration
- Blue lights can only be 20% or less of the total light package; always used with amber lights
- Automatic speed limiting, activating blue lights only when the vehicle is stopped or traveling under 40 mph



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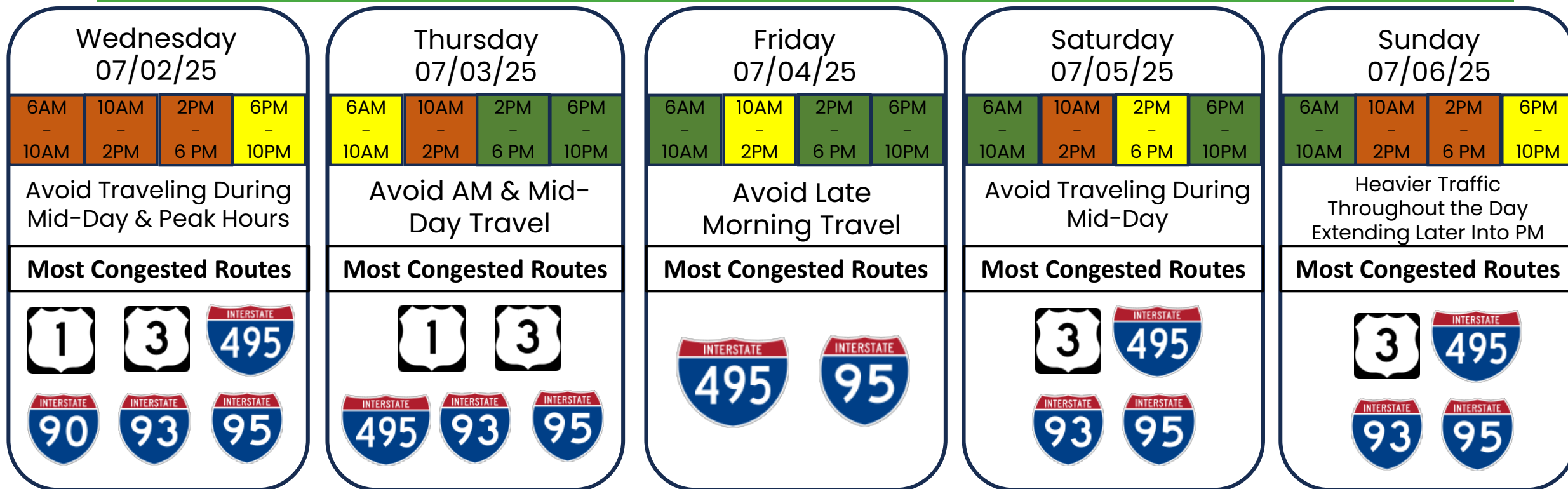




# Appendix

# Northern Region 4<sup>th</sup> of July Traffic Forecast

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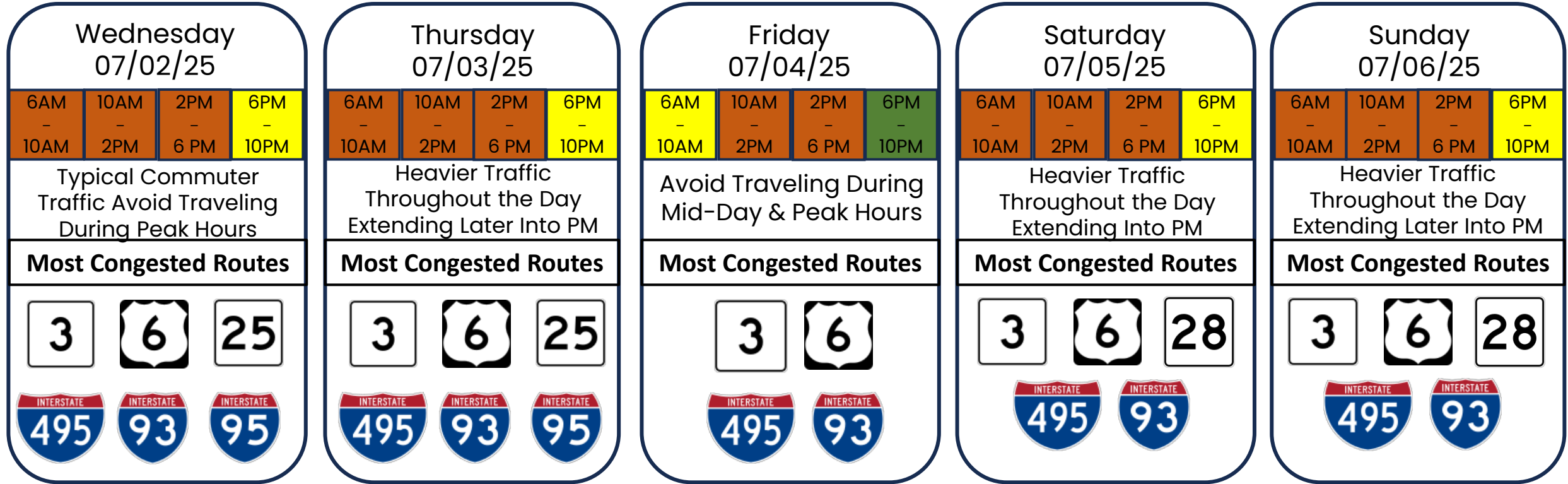


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# Southern Region 4<sup>th</sup> of July Traffic Forecast

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# Central/Western Region 4<sup>th</sup> of July Traffic Forecast

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