



Re: Grand Rapids Road Construction Project

Road construction season is fast approaching in Grand Rapids! We would like to take this opportunity to give you advance notice of an upcoming road construction project that will be taking place in close proximity to our facility. This project involves the reconstruction of Bridge Street which runs parallel to the north loading docks at DeVos Place Convention Center. The tentative starting date will be sometime after May 12, 2009, with substantial completion estimated to take place at the end of October 2009.

**This project will be constructed in several phases in 2009:**

We have been advised of the following traffic restrictions:

- 1. During Phase 1:** Bridge Street may be closed to through traffic between **Scribner and Monroe Avenues** (excluding the Scribner and Bridge intersection). Traffic shall be detoured appropriately.
- 2. During Phase 2:** Bridge Street may be closed to through traffic between Scribner Avenues (including Turner and Bridge intersection, Scribner and Bridge intersection).

While we do not foresee any major complications regarding vehicular access to the facility, we want to give you advance notice so that you might inform your attendees, exhibitors, and outside service providers. There will continue to be easy access to DeVos Place via **Monroe Avenue**, **Michigan Street** from the east, and **Pearl Street** from the south.

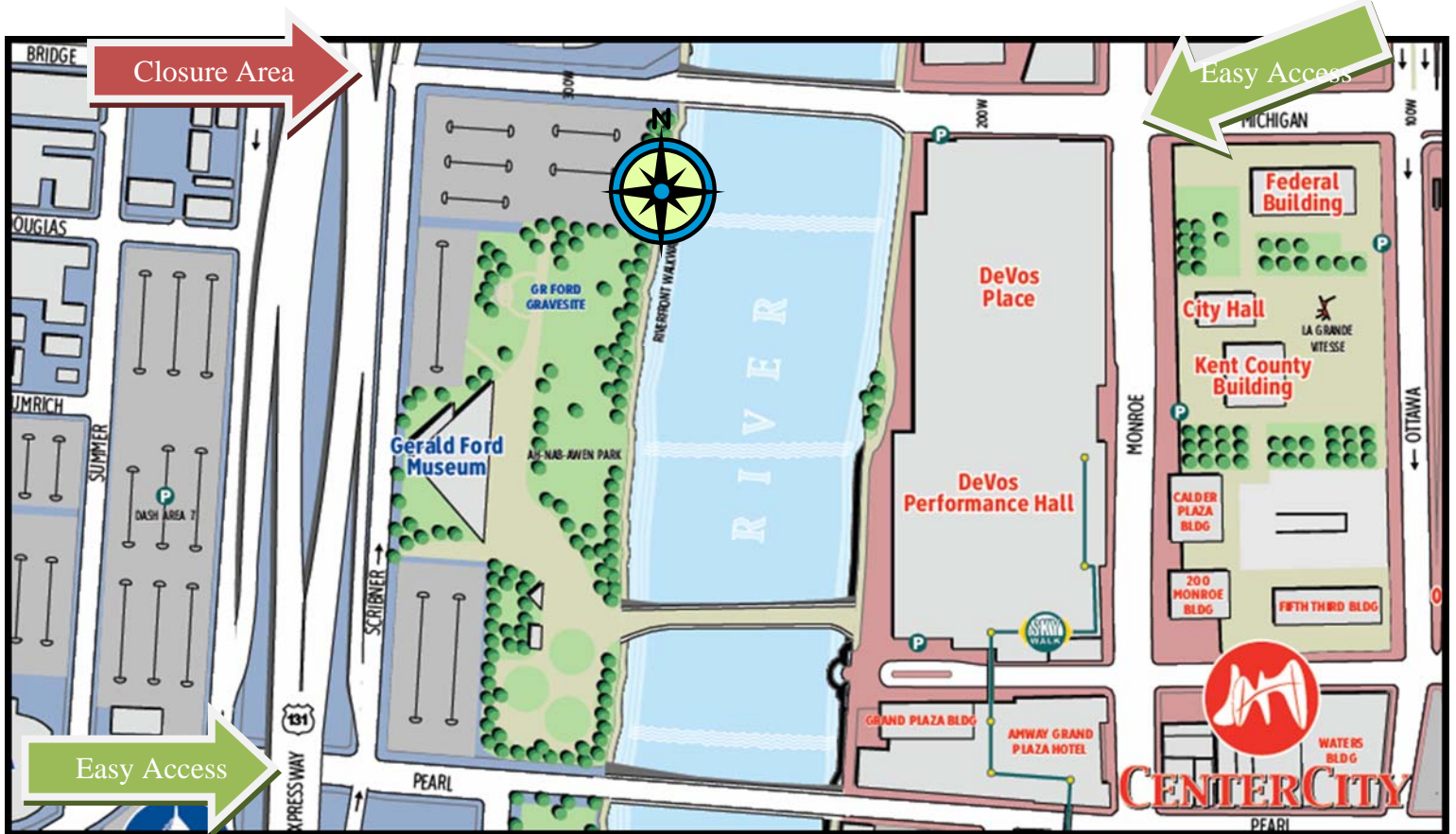


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We will continue to provide you with updates via e-mail (and our website) as the project moves forward. Should you have any questions in the interim, please do not hesitate to give us a call.

Warmest Regards,

The DeVos Place Team



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