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## Bryce Canyon National Park Announces Road Work into July

BRYCE, UT – Bryce Canyon National Park will begin chip-sealing of the park's 18-mile main road, Highway 63, on Wednesday, June 14th, 2017. Initial work will be from Bryce Point to the road's end at Rainbow Point, followed by portions of the Bryce Amphitheater.

On Wednesday, June 14th all traffic on Highway 63 will be restricted beyond Farview Point (mile 10 ½). Beginning Thursday, June 15th through Friday, June 16th traffic will be restricted beyond Bryce Point (mile 3). Weekend access to Rainbow Point will be provided on Saturday, June 17th and Sunday, June 18th, however visitors should expect delays of up to fifteen minutes when travelling through the construction zone. Following the weekend on Monday, June 19th and Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, traffic will again be restricted beyond Bryce Point (mile 3). However, beginning Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, all road work will cease for Bryce Canyon's 17th Annual Astronomy Festival, which runs through Saturday, June 24th.

Work will progress to the Bryce Amphitheater beginning Monday, June 26th. No viewpoints will be closed, however due to short-term parking lot closures visitors should expect periodic delays and rerouted access to some of the park's most popular areas. All work is likely to be completed by mid-July, but will depend on weather conditions.

While the Rainbow Point Tour bus will not run on days that traffic is restricted (June 14-16 and June 19-20). Bryce Canyon Shuttle service will continue operations to amphitheater viewpoints with some minor adjustments and brief delays. The park strongly advises that visitors utilize the shuttle service to reduce any impact to their planned visit.

Additional information can also be obtained by visiting the park's website at [www.nps.gov/brca](http://www.nps.gov/brca), or by calling the park's main information line at (435) 834-5322.

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