

**Traffic Diversion on WEH from Andheri to Dahisar for Metro-7
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Mumbai, June 13, 2017 – The MMRDA would like to apprise Mumbaikars that the launching of 'U' girders is in progress for the Andheri (East) to Dahisar (East) Metro-7 corridor and the Authority is using two heavy cranes of approximately 400 tonnes for the purpose. It is also important to note that each 'U' girder weighs about 170 metric tonnes. Thus, to ensure smooth and safe launching of the girders the Authority, in consultation with the traffic police, have decided to divert the North bound traffic on the Western Express Highway to South bound carriageway for a stretch of about 500 to 700 meters ahead of the launching locations. The diversion will be effective from 23.30 hours to 6.00 hours.

It is pertinent to note that entire Western Express Highway will not be closed during the night. Two lanes will be used for the traffic proceeding towards Dahisar and 3 lanes will be used for the traffic proceeding towards Andheri during the launching period.