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NEWS RELEASE

Animas River Trail at Iris and Riverfront Parks Will Close for Improvements

Durango, CO: The Animas River Trail improvement project at Iris Park and Riverfront Park, located behind River City Hall and the Powerhouse Science Center, will begin the week of March 9, weather permitting. This project will include a new concrete trail, lighting, site amenities, landscaping and irrigation. Work is scheduled for completion June 2020.

The Animas River Trail between the Iris Park Bridge and the Swinging Bridge will be closed to public access during construction. All trail users are encouraged to use posted alternate routes. Vehicle access to the Powerhouse Science Center/Maker Lab will remain open. Please respect posted signage by using caution and walking bicycles through the marked construction area. Existing parking at Iris Park will be closed during construction, and parking for River City Hall employees and visitors will be enforced.

Thank you for your patience while the City improves this section of the Animas River Trail. For more information, please contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (970) 375-7321 or rec@DurangoGov.org

