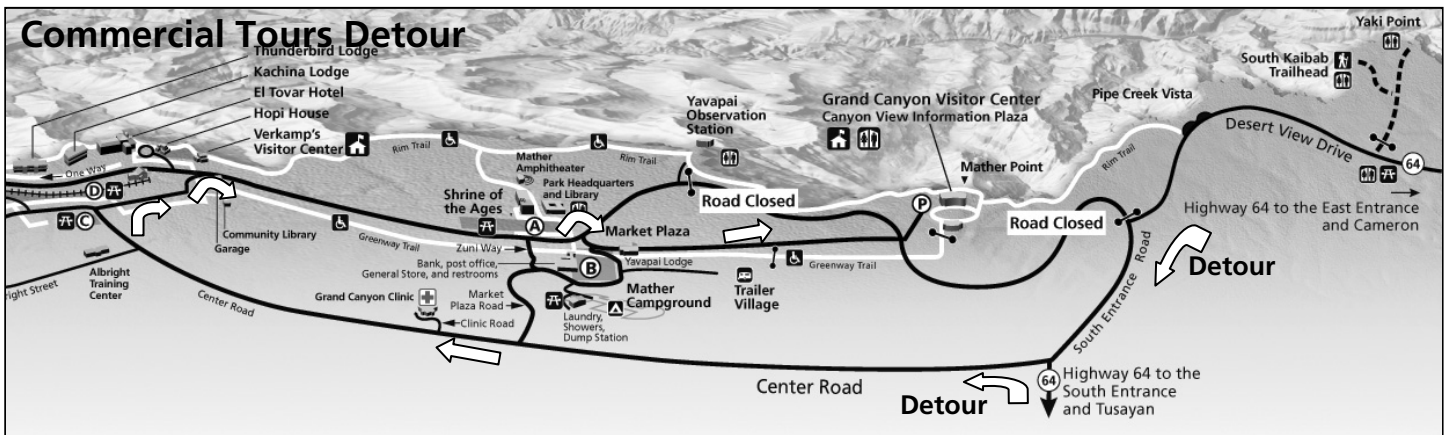


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Temporary Road Closure Ahead: September 8 - 10

Work on the main road in the Mather Point – Grand Canyon Visitor Center area requires a temporary road closure and rerouting of traffic in the Grand Canyon Village developed area. The map above shows the closed road and directions. A more detailed map, without the closure, is found on pages 7 – 8 of *The Guide*, the park newspaper. Tour buses are directed to the new parking area northwest of the Grand Canyon Visitor Center. Highway 64 through the park is not affected by this closure.

Commercial tours entering through the South Entrance

To drive to the new parking lot at Grand Canyon Visitor Center (Canyon View Information Plaza) proceed ahead for approximately 3 miles (5 km) to Center Road. Turn left on Center Road and go about 1.5 miles (2.5 km) to the stop sign. Turn right onto Village Loop Drive. At the end of the railroad tracks turn right and go to the second stop sign, Market Plaza. Turn

right into Market Plaza and immediately turn left passing Yavapai Lodge. Proceed up the hill passing the Yavapai Lodge units, swerving around the illuminated “Road Closed” sign. Follow the signs into the new parking area. Watch for shuttle bus traffic as you approach the Grand Canyon Visitor Center area.

Observe posted school zones when signs are in place.

Commercial tours entering through the East Entrance

Grand Canyon Village is approximately 26 miles (42 km) from the East Entrance on Desert View Drive (Highway 64). About 24 miles (39 km) from Desert View, Desert View Drive intersects with South Entrance

Road. Turn left onto South Entrance Road and proceed south for about ¾ mile (1.2 km) to Center Road. Turn right onto Center Road and follow the directions above.

All facilities and services remain open

During this closure Grand Canyon Visitor Center will maintain its normal hours, open daily 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and the Books and More Bookstore, 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

No lodging, gift stores, restaurants or other services are affected by the closure. Bright Angel Lodge remains available for commercial tour buses.