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Ottawa, IL, April 4, 2014 – The Illinois Department of Transportation has announced that construction activities are scheduled to again begin April 7, 2014 on the I-57 over Langan Creek bridge replacement project, located approximately 2.2 miles south of Chebanse.

A \$5,836,484.09 contract has been awarded to Kankakee Valley Construction Co. of Kankakee, IL for the project, which consists of constructing median crossovers, removal and replacement of dual structures carrying I-57 over Langan Creek, as well as peripheral roadway reconstruction, shoulder improvements and safety enhancements. Traffic delays can be expected due to lane restrictions and motorists should plan accordingly to avoid delays. Completion of the project will be in late 2014.

Traffic will be reduced to one lane in each direction and adjusted with both lanes of traffic sharing the southbound lanes of I-57 separated by concrete barrier wall, allowing for the removal and replacement of the northbound structure.

Motorists are urged to use extreme caution when traveling around and through the work zone and to be alert for flaggers and all other workers.

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