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## **Lane Closure – Lake Drive in East St. Louis**

**East St. Louis** – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that Lake Drive at I-255 in East St. Louis will be reduced to one lane of traffic beginning on Tuesday, August 11, 2020, weather permitting. Traffic will be maintained using temporary signals. This lane closure is necessary to make repairs to the Lake Drive structure over I-255. This work is expected to be completed by November 2020.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to changed conditions and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits, refrain from using mobile devices and be alert for workers and equipment.

The contractor on this project is The Kilian Corporation & Keeley & Sons, Inc. from Mascoutah, IL.

Follow our [Twitter](#) page to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 8. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at <http://stl-traffic.org>.

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