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159th Street resurfacing begins Monday

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that resurfacing of 159th Street (U.S. 6) from Cicero Avenue (Illinois 50), in Oak Forest, to just east of Interstate 294 (Tri-State Tollway), in Markham, will require daily, intermittent lane closures beginning, weather permitting, Monday, June 22.

The project, which consists of resurfacing the 3-mile stretch of 159th Street and constructing new ADA-compliant sidewalk ramps, is expected to be completed in September. Access to residences and businesses within the work zone will be maintained throughout construction.

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

Click [here](#) to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at www.travelmidwest.com.

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