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PRESS RELEASE

Interstate 55/64 EB Poplar Street Bridge in East St. Louis, St. Clair County

East St. Louis, Illinois – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces lane restrictions will be encountered Wednesday, April 27, 2022, on eastbound I-55/64 Poplar Street Bridge in East St. Louis. Weather permitting, the center three lanes eastbound will be closed from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm to repair the center attenuator.

These restrictions are needed to replace the attenuator and perform deck repairs on the structure. IDOT District 8 Operations forces will make the needed improvements. Full access will be available throughout the project.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. To avoid the work area, when feasible, use of alternate routes should be considered. 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.

For IDOT District 8 updates, follow us on Twitter at [@IDOTDistrict8](https://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict8) or view area construction details on IDOT's [traveler information map](https://www.idot.gov/traveler-information-map) on [GettingAroundIllinois.com](https://www.gettingaroundillinois.com).

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