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Illinois 92 Hennepin Feeder Canal bridge in Bureau County closes Feb. 28

OTTAWA - The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that the Illinois 92 bridge crossing the Hennepin Feeder Canal in Bureau County will be closed beginning Monday, Feb. 28. The bridge is located about 1 mile east of Illinois 172.

The closure, which will be on Illinois 92 between Illinois 172 and Illinois 40, is necessary to replace the bridge crossing the canal. A marked detour will direct drivers to Illinois 172 and Illinois 40. Helm Civil of Freeport is the contractor for the \$2,548,313 project, which is scheduled to be completed by September.

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.

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve more than 3,535 miles of highway and 9 million square feet of bridge deck as part of the Rebuild Illinois capital program, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Accomplishments through Year Two included approximately \$5.2 billion of improvements statewide on 3,020 miles of highway, 270 bridges and 428 additional safety improvements.

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