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## Elm Street closing at rail crossing Aug. 1

**CHICAGO** – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that repairs by the Union Pacific Railroad to a crossing on Elm Street (Illinois 120), between Crystal Lake Road and Borden Street, in McHenry, will require a full closure starting, weather permitting, 9 a.m. Monday, Aug. 1.

A posted detour will direct motorists to Illinois 31/U.S. 12 (Richmond Road/Main Street), Illinois 173 (Kenosha Street/Maple Avenue) and Illinois 47 (Eastwood Drive/Seminary Avenue/Main Street). The work is expected to be complete by 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 13.

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

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