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CONSTRUCTION NEWS RELEASE

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION

IL 37

JEFFERSON COUNTY

CARBONDALE-The Illinois Department of Transportation is alerting motorists traveling on IL 37 south of Mt. Vernon of upcoming lane closures beginning at 7 a.m. Tuesday, July 5, weather permitting.

There will be bridge deck repairs on the structure carrying IL 37 over Casey Fork, 2 miles south of IL 148, that will require lane closures. Traffic will be reduced to one lane and controlled by signals. Work is expected to last until August 12.

Motorists should be aware of the 13'-0" width restriction, reduce speed, be alert for equipment and workers and use extreme caution while traveling through all work zones.

To avoid any delays, motorists should seek an alternate route. Emergency vehicles will be allowed through the work zone as quickly as possible.

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