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Sidewalk construction in Fulton postponed

DIXON – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that sidewalk construction along Illinois 136 (14th Avenue) in Fulton in Whiteside County has been postponed due to potential conflicts with the ongoing closure of the U.S. 30 Gateway Bridge over the Mississippi River. The Gateway Bridge is currently closed for repairs and painting, which is expected to be completed by Oct. 15. A marked detour will direct motorists to use U.S. 67 and Iowa/Illinois 136 during 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.

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 in improvements statewide on 3,020 miles of highway and 270 bridges along with 428 additional safety improvements.

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