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Westbound I-80 ramp, lane closures in Joliet

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that a tree removal operation will require temporary lane closures on westbound I-80, between Rowell Avenue and Richards Street, in Joliet, weather permitting, Saturday, March 18, from 6 a.m. to noon.

The westbound I-80 ramp to Richards Street will also be closed during that time. Due to the short duration of the closures, no detour will be posted. Motorists are advised to use Chicago Street (U.S. 52/Illinois 53) as an alternative route to the Richards Street exit.

At least one westbound I-80 lane will remain open at all times and eastbound I-80 will not be impacted.

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

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