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I-280 Mississippi River Bridge inspection in Rock Island begins March 13

DIXON – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that, weather permitting, there will be a lane closure on the Interstate 280 Mississippi River bridge (Sgt. John F Baker Jr. Bridge) in Rock Island beginning Monday, March 13, for bridge inspections.

The westbound right lane will be closed on the bridge March 13 and 14 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The eastbound right lane will be closed on the bridge March 15 and 16 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Signing will be utilized to maintain traffic during the project, which is scheduled to be completed by 4:30 p.m. Thursday, March 16.

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.

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