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Overnight closures of U.S. 34 begin May 19 *Weekend bridge beam replacement in Galesburg*

GALESBURG – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced that overnight closures of U.S. 34 between Interstate 74 and Seminary Street begin May 19.

The closures are necessary to replace a beam on the Farnham Street bridge over U.S. 34. The westbound lanes will be closed between I-74 and Farnham from 10 p.m. May 19 to 6 a.m. May 20. The eastbound lanes will then be closed at Seminary Street from 10 p.m. May 20 to 6 a.m. May 21. Detours will be posted.

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 2,500 miles of highway and nearly 10 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 Three of Rebuild Illinois included approximately \$8.6 billion of improvements statewide on 4,422 miles of highway, 412 bridges, and 621 additional safety improvements.

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