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Illinois 29 in Pekin to close Nov. 6

Railroad repairs expected to last through the week

PEKIN – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced that Illinois 29 (Second Street) at the railroad crossing between Third and Winter streets in Pekin will close Nov. 6.

The closure is necessary to allow the Illinois and Midland Railroad to replace and update its crossing and is expected to last until the afternoon of Nov. 10. A detour 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.

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