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## **Halsted Street Bridge Reopens**

**CHICAGO** – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announced that a second lane in each direction on the Halsted Street bridge over the Eisenhower Expressway (Interstate 290) between Harrison Street and Van Buren Street, in Chicago, reopens after the evening rush hour, Thursday, June 2.

In addition to the two lanes in each direction, the bridge includes dedicated bike lanes and wider sidewalks for pedestrians on both sides of the bridge. The overall improvements include new roadway lighting, underpass lighting and modernized traffic signals at the intersection of Harrison Street and Halsted Street. An overhead canopy was installed across the width of the bridge at the Chicago Transit Authority (CTA) Blue Line UIC-Halsted station.

The project, which began in March 2014, included the complete removal and replacement of the existing bridge structure on Halsted Street. The new bridge structure accommodates the future improvements planned for the interchange between the Dan Ryan Expressway (Interstate 90/94) and the Eisenhower Expressway.

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