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## **Traffic Signal Activation**

New Traffic Signals to be in Operation

Location: Loxa Road at the junction of Illinois 16

The Illinois Department of Transportation has announced that beginning June 7, 2016, weather permitting, the new traffic signals that have been installed on Illinois 16 at the Loxa Road intersection will be turned on and placed into service. All the pavement markings, including the stop bars, will be placed that day, before the signals can be turned on. If weather prohibits the the work that day, it will be rescheduled at the next suitable day. Please extra use caution when approaching the intersection from either direction until such time motorists can become more familiar with the signalized intersection being operational.

Bodine Electric from Decatur is the prime contractor and Rod Pearson is the Resident Engineer for the Department of Transportation. Questions concerning the project should be directed to Rod Pearson at (217) 895-3069 or Mr. Bob Utz at the Effingham office at (217) 342-3951.



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