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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **MLK Bridge in St Clair County**

Location – MLK Bridge over the Mississippi River in East St Louis

The Illinois Department of Transportation today announced that the right lane of the two eastbound lanes of the MLK Bridge over the Mississippi River in East St Louis will be closed to traffic between the hours of 6:00 AM and 3:00 PM daily from Monday, April 4, 2016, through Friday, April 8, 2016, weather permitting. These closures are necessary to make repairs that were planned as part of the ongoing bridge rehabilitation project.

The contractor on this project is Keeley and Sons of East St Louis, IL. Joseph G. Gasaway is the Supervising Field Engineer for the Illinois Department of Transportation in the area. If you have any questions concerning this project, you may contact him at 618/346-3354.

Additional information is available at <http://stl-traffic.org>.

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