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Westbound lanes of U.S. 34 in Galesburg to close May 6 *Damaged section of bridge to be replaced*

GALESBURG — The Illinois Department of Transportation announces the closure of the westbound lanes of U.S. 34 over Lincoln Park Drive in Galesburg on Sunday, May 6.

Beginning at 6 a.m. Sunday, the westbound lanes of U.S. 34 will close so that crews can remove and replace a damaged beam section of the U.S. 34 bridge over Lincoln Park Drive. Work is expected to be complete and the lanes reopened by 8:30 p.m. Sunday.

Traffic will be detoured around the work area using North Seminary Street, East Carl Sandburg Drive and U.S. 150 (Henderson Street).

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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