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Bridge work on First Avenue over Salt Creek

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced that repairs to the bridge carrying First Avenue (Illinois 171) over Salt Creek, in Lyons, will require lane closures beginning, weather permitting, May 1.

The project consists of replacement of expansion joints, deck repairs and the installation of a new deck overlay.

In order to complete the work, permanent lane closures will take place in both directions, reducing traffic on the bridge to one in each direction.

The work is expected to be complete by the end of July.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click [here](#) to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at www.travelmidwest.com.

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