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## CONSTRUCTION NEWS RELEASE

*Bridge Construction  
I-57  
Jefferson County*

**Ina** – The Illinois Department of Transportation would like to alert motorists traveling on I-57 and County Highway 42 at Ina of upcoming bridge construction.

Beginning Monday, April 15, 2019, weather permitting, work will begin on the bridge over I-57 at Ina. The contractor will be allowed to close one lane of traffic on I-57 during the hours of 7pm to 7am, Monday through Thursday nights, to facilitate demolition of the existing bridge and construction of the new bridge. CH 42 will be reduced to one lane of traffic controlled by temporary traffic signals. Motorist should reduce speed, be alert to equipment and workers and use extreme caution when traveling through this area.

To avoid any delays motorists should seek an alternate route. Emergency vehicles will be allowed through the work zone as quickly as possible.

For IDOT District 9 updates, follow us on Twitter at @IDOTDistrict9 or view area construction details on IDOT's [traveler information map](#) on GettingAroundIllinois.com.