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CONSTRUCTION NEWS RELEASE

*LANE REDUCTION
IL 149
Franklin County*

West Frankfort – The Illinois Department of Transportation would like to alert motorists traveling on Illinois 149 near I-57 in West Frankfort of an upcoming LANE REDUCTION.

Beginning Monday, April 15, 2019, weather permitting, Illinois 149 will be reduced to one lane in each direction between Ken Gray Boulevard and Joiner Street in West Frankfort for pavement patching. The work is expected to last two weeks. 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.

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