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Dixon, IL – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces today that weather permitting, construction work on Illinois Route 2 in Byron will begin on April 15, 2019. Martin & Co. Excavating will be completing the \$149,652 maintenance project from Chestnut Street to 0.2 mile north on Route 2 in Byron.

Daily lane closures with flaggers will be utilized. Drivers should be prepared to stop for flaggers who will be directing traffic through the work areas. Work is expected to be completed by May 31, 2019.

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.

For IDOT District 2 updates on Twitter, follow us at [@IDOTDistrict2](https://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict2) or view area construction details on IDOT's [traveler information map](#) on GettingAroundIllinois.com.

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