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Illinois 78 work in Stark County begins Aug. 21

LA FAYETTE — The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that construction on Illinois 78 between Illinois 17 and the Stark/Henry county line will begin Wednesday, Aug. 21.

The project involves pavement resurfacing and repairs and will require daytime lane closures, with traffic controlled by flaggers. Work is expected to be complete by November.

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 4 updates, follow us on Twitter at [@IDOTDistrict4](https://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict4) or view area construction details on IDOT's [traveler information map](https://www.gettingaroundillinois.com) on GettingAroundIllinois.com.

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