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Illinois 47 work begins Aug. 1

FISHER – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that pavement maintenance on Illinois 47 between U.S. 136 and the Ford County line will begin Thursday, Aug. 1.

The work will require intermittent lane closures, which are expected to last through the end of August.

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 5 updates, follow us on Twitter at <u>@IDOTDistrict5</u> or view area construction details on IDOT's <u>traveler information map</u> on GettingAroundIllinois.com.

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