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The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that the IL 23 (Columbus Street)-Illinois Railway grade crossing in Ottawa will be closed on Tuesday, July 16, 2019. IL 23 (Columbus Street) will be closed for approximately two days to allow the Illinois Railway to repair their crossing. IL 23 (Columbus Street) traffic will proceed as follows:

IL 23 (Columbus Street) northbound traffic will proceed east on US 6/IL 71 (Norris Drive) to Interstate 80; thence west on Interstate 80 back to IL 23 (Exit 90).

IL 23 (Columbus Street) southbound traffic will proceed east on Interstate 80 to IL 71 (Exit 93); thence south on IL 71 back to IL 23 (Columbus Street).

Please slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.

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