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Ramp Closures, Exit 45 on Interstate 70 at IL 127 Greenville, Illinois

The Illinois Department of Transportation today announced the I-70 westbound entrance ramp will be closed for five days beginning at 12:01 AM on Monday, July 8, 2019, and the I-70 westbound exit ramp will be closed for five days beginning at 12:01 AM on Tuesday, July 9, 2019, weather permitting. These closures are necessary to partially reconstruct the ramps at their intersections with IL 127. Traffic will be maintained utilizing a posted detour via I-70 and US 40. Once this work is complete and these ramps are reopened, the I-70 eastbound entrance ramp will be closed for five days beginning at 12:01 AM on Monday, July 15, 2019, and the I-70 eastbound exit ramp will be closed for five days beginning at 12:01 AM on Tuesday, July 16, 2019, weather permitting. Traffic will again be maintained utilizing a posted detour via I-70 and US 40, and this work is necessary to partially reconstruct the ramps at their intersections with IL 127.

The Department advises the travelling public to follow all construction signs and drive with caution through the work zones. Delays should be expected and the use of alternate routes may be beneficial.

The Contractor on this project is The Kilian Corporation of Mascoutah, Illinois.

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