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Dixon, IL – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces today that weather permitting, construction work on the structure carrying IL 40 over Johnson Creek, located 1.8 miles east of IL 78 will begin on June 24, 2019. Civil Constructors will be completing the \$264,552 project including expansion joint replacement, beam end repairs and concrete overlay.

A road closure and detour will be utilized during the completion of work. Thru traffic should follow the marked detour utilizing IL 78 and Timberlake Road. Drivers should adjust travel times for the detour. Work is expected to be completed by August 8, 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.

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