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**IL 157 IN CENTREVILLE IN SAINT CLAIR
COUNTY TO BE TEMPORARILY CLOSED**
*EMERGENCY CLOSURE IS NECESSARY TO REHABILITATE
NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILROAD CROSSING*

CENTREVILLE, IL – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that, weather permitting, IL 157 from Route 13 to Route 15 will be closed for emergency rehabilitative work of the railroad crossing on Wednesday, June 19, 2019, beginning at 8:00 a.m. and ending at 4:00 p.m. A marked detour will be in place to safely guide motorists around the closure.

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 8 updates, follow us on Twitter at [@IDOTDistrict8](https://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict8) or view area construction details on IDOT's [traveler information map](https://www.idot.gov/traveler-information-map) on [GettingAroundIllinois.com](https://www.gettingaroundillinois.com).

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