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Work along Interstate 39 to begin April 1

EL PASO — The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that construction along Interstate 39 between the Mackinaw River and El Paso will begin Monday, April 1.

The work involves patching, resurfacing and bridge joint replacement and will require intermittent ramp closures with marked detours in place. The project is expected to be completed by the end of October.

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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