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## Overnight lane, ramp closures on Ike, Ryan and Bishop Ford

**CHICAGO** – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that replacement of overhead sign structures on two expressways will require overnight lane and ramp closures, accompanied by 15-minute full expressway stops, beginning at 11 p.m., weather permitting, tonight, Aug. 19.

The closures are as follows:

### Aug. 19

- Inbound **Bishop Ford Freeway** (Interstate 94) in Chicago
  - Starting at 11 p.m. tonight, the two left lanes on inbound I-94 will close near Cottage Grove Avenue and at Dr. Martin Luther King Drive. At 1 a.m., full traffic stops for no longer than 15 minutes at a time will take place near both locations. All lanes reopen by 5 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 20.
- Outbound **Eisenhower Expressway** (Interstate 290) in Elmhurst
  - The exit ramp from outbound I-290 to Lake Street (U.S. 20) and York Road will be closed from 8 p.m. tonight, to 5 a.m. Wednesday. During that time, a detour will direct traffic to the Kingery Highway (Illinois 83).

### Aug. 20

- Outbound **Dan Ryan Expressway** (Interstate 90/94), **Bishop Ford** in Chicago
  - Starting at 11 p.m. Thursday, the two left lanes on the outbound Dan Ryan will close near 95<sup>th</sup> Street, lane closures will continue on to the outbound Bishop Ford at Cottage Grove Avenue.
  - At 1 a.m., full traffic stops for no longer than 15 minutes at a time will take place on the outbound Bishop Ford near Cottage Grove Avenue. All lanes reopen by 5 a.m. Friday, Aug. 21.
- Outbound **Eisenhower Expressway** in Elmhurst
  - Starting at 8 p.m. Thursday, the two right lanes will close on outbound I-290 at Kingery Highway (Illinois 83). Additionally, the exit ramp from outbound I-290 to northbound Kingery Highway will be closed.

- At 1 a.m., full traffic stops for no longer than 15 minutes at a time will take place on outbound I-290 near Kingery Highway. All lanes and ramps reopen by 5 a.m. Friday, Aug. 21.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

Click [here](#) for details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at [www.travelmidwest.com](http://www.travelmidwest.com).

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