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## **Illinois 6 ramp closures set Sept. 24-25** *Overnight at Allen, Knoxville interchanges*

**PEORIA** – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced that overnight closures of ramps on Illinois 6 at the Allen Road and Knoxville Avenue (Illinois 40) interchanges in Peoria are set Sept. 24-25.

The closures are necessary for pavement striping and will occur between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m. at the following locations:

Sept. 24

- Southbound Illinois 6 exit ramp to Knoxville Avenue
- Knoxville Avenue ramp to southbound Illinois 6
- Southbound Illinois 6 exit ramp to Allen Road
- Allen Road ramp to southbound Illinois 6
- Northbound Illinois 6 exit ramp to Allen Road

Sept. 25

- Allen Road ramp to northbound Illinois 6
- Northbound Illinois 6 exit ramp to Knoxville Avenue
- Southbound Knoxville Avenue ramp to northbound Illinois 6
- Northbound Knoxville Avenue ramp to northbound Illinois 6

Only one ramp at a time will be closed, for approximately two hours each, and each will reopen prior to the next ramp 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.

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve more than 3,300 miles of highway and 8.4 million square feet of bridge deck as part of the Rebuild Illinois capital program, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Year One included approximately \$2.7

billion of improvements statewide on 1,706 miles of highway, 128 bridges and 228 additional safety improvements.

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