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Business 55 (Veterans Parkway) Bridge Replacement

Location - PARIS - The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) announces that, weather permitting; work is scheduled to begin February 17, 2014 for the reconstruction of the structures carrying Business 55 (Veterans Parkway) over Interstate 74 on the southwest side of Bloomington.

This project will include complete removal and replacement of the existing structures, associated earthwork and pavement replacement on Veterans Parkway and Interstate 74. Construction will take place in stages utilizing barrier walls and the through lane will be restricted to 11 feet 2 inches.

The contractor for this \$11.5 million project is O'Neil Brothers Construction Co. The estimated completion date is November 30, 2014.

Motorists are advised to slow down and drive carefully through this and all work zones.

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