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PRESS RELEASE

St. Clair Avenue Ramp to Westbound I-55/64 – St. Clair County

The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that the entrance ramp to westbound I-55/64 from St. Clair Avenue in East St. Louis will be closed to all traffic beginning Saturday, July 25, 2015, for work related to the rehabilitation of the Martin Luther King Jr. Bridge.

A marked detour utilizing St. Clair Avenue, 18th Street, Baugh Avenue, and the westbound I-64 entrance ramp will be in place to guide motorists around this closure. The Department asks that motorists be patient, reduce speed, watch for stopped traffic ahead and use additional caution when traveling near this work zone.

The contractor on this project is Keeley and Sons of E. St. Louis, IL. If you have any questions concerning this project, please contact Joe Gasaway, Supervising Field Engineer for the Illinois Department of Transportation, at 618-346-3354.

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