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## PRESS RELEASE

Marion County

Location – US 50 at the Brubaker Creek Bridge approximately two miles east of Salem.

The Illinois Department of Transportation today announced that US 50 will be reduced to one lane at Brubaker Creek during daylight hours beginning Wednesday, March 30, 2016, weather permitting. Intermittent daylight lane closures will be utilized until temporary traffic signals are installed at this location. Once the temporary traffic signals are installed, US 50 will be reduced to one lane and two-way traffic will be maintained through this area via the temporary traffic signals. This work is required in order to replace the existing structure and is expected to be completed by mid-September of this year.

Motorists are urged to use caution, obey all warning signs and allow extra time when traveling through the work zone.

The contractor on this project is Sierra Bravo of Sesser, Illinois. If you have any questions concerning this project, please contact Steve Putz, Supervising Field Engineer for the Illinois Department of Transportation, at 618-346-3350.

Additional information is available at <http://stl-traffic.org>

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