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Weekend closure of Pulaski Road in Chicago

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that Pulaski Road between 76th Street and 77th Street, in Chicago, will close, weather permitting, from 10 p.m. tonight, Oct. 9, to 5 a.m. Monday, Oct. 12.

The closure is necessary for removal of the deteriorating bridge that carries Ford City Drive over Pulaski Road. A detour will direct traffic to 79th Street, Cicero Avenue (Illinois 50) and Archer Avenue (Illinois 171).

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.

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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