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## Grand Avenue improvement project resumes tomorrow

**CHICAGO** – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that an improvement project on Grand Avenue (Illinois 132), between Skokie Highway (U.S. 41), and Waveland Avenue, in Gurnee, resumes, weather permitting, Thursday, April 22.

To complete the project, Grand Avenue will be reduced to one lane in each direction from Skokie Highway to Magnolia Avenue. Access to residences and businesses within the work zone will be maintained during construction. Work is anticipated to be completed in July.

The \$19.8 million project consists of removal and replacement of the Union Pacific Railroad bridge, new sidewalks, curbs, retaining walls, storm sewers and ADA-compliant sidewalk ramps. Along with pavement reconstruction and widening on Grand Avenue, as well as widening of the southbound U.S. 41 ramp.

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.

Click [here](#) to find details on other construction projects in IDOT's District 1. Updates on the impacts to traffic are available at [www.travelmidwest.com](http://www.travelmidwest.com).

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