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Northbound Interstate 39 in Cherry Valley to close June 26

DIXON – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that northbound Interstate 39 in Cherry Valley will be closed overnight on Saturday, June 26 as part of repairs to the Perryville Road bridge. The closure is between the U.S. 20 interchange and exit 122.

The closure, which begins at 6 p.m. Saturday, June 26, is necessary to remove and replace a beam on the Perryville Road bridge crossing Interstate 39. A posted detour will direct northbound motorists to exit Interstate 39 onto US 20 westbound and use Alpine Road to Harrison Avenue to re-enter Interstate 39 at exit 122. Northbound Interstate 39 will reopen by 6 a.m. on Sunday, June 27.

Drivers on Perryville Road at the bridge should be prepared to stop near the work zone as one lane of traffic will be maintained with a barrier wall and controlled with signals. The bridge repair work is expected to be completed by Friday, July 9.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area and be prepared for slow and stopped traffic. To avoid the work area, when feasible, use of alternate routes should be considered. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to changed conditions and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits, refrain from using mobile devices and be alert for workers and equipment.

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve 2,779 miles of highway and 7.9 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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