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NB Interstate 255 over Prairie Du Pont Canal, St. Clair County

Cahokia Heights – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces lane restrictions will be encountered Friday, July 1, 2022, on NB I-255 near mm 13 – just south of IL 157. The center and right lanes will be closed to allow for required bridge deck repairs ahead of the Holiday weekend.

These restrictions are needed to perform essential repairs to the bridge structure. IDOT District 8 Operations forces will make the needed improvements. All lanes will be reopened as soon as possible tomorrow.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. 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.

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