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U.S. 136 to close Sept. 16

LOTUS – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced that U.S. 136 near Lotus, in McLean County just west of the Champaign County line, will close Sept. 16.

The closure is necessary for the Norfolk Southern Railway to replace its crossing and is expected to last four days. A detour will be posted.

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