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Morgan Street resurfacing begins Aug. 26

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that a resurfacing of Morgan Street, between 63rd and 79th streets and between 82nd and 87th streets, in Chicago, will require daytime intermittent lane closures, beginning, weather permitting, Monday, Aug. 26.

The \$1.8 million project, which consists of resurfacing the 3-mile stretch of Morgan Street and constructing new ADA-compliant sidewalk ramps, is anticipated to be completed in late November.

Access to residences and businesses within the work zone will be maintained throughout construction.

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 3,200 miles of highway and nearly 9 million square feet of bridge deck as part of Rebuild Illinois, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Accomplishments through Year Five of Rebuild Illinois include approximately \$16 billion of improvements statewide on 6,541 miles of highway, 686 bridges and 986 additional safety improvements.

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