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Press Release
I-55 in Madison County

The Illinois Department of Transportation today announced that beginning Monday, March 7, 2011, weather permitting, there will be southbound daytime lane closures and northbound nighttime lane closures on I-55 from the Macoupin County Line (mile marker 39) near Staunton to IL Route 4 (mile marker 33), near Worden. Peak hour restrictions will apply as follows. Southbound lanes will remain open to traffic from 6:00 am to 9:00 am, and northbound lanes will remain open from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm. These lane closures are necessary to repair the pavement within this area.

Please watch for stopped traffic and allow extra time when traveling through the work zone. Signing and traffic control devices will be provided to aid motorists through the work zones. The work should be completed by March 18, 2011. The contractor on this project is The Kilian Corporation, Inc. of Mascoutah, IL. Steve Putz is the Supervising Field Engineer for the Illinois Department of Transportation in this area. If you have any questions concerning this project, you may contact him at 618/346-3350.