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INTERSTATE 40 LANE SHIFTS IN WEST MEMPHIS BEGIN TUESDAY, JUNE 8

LITTLE ROCK (6-7) Crews working on the Interstate 40 project near the Interstate 40/Interstate 55 Interchange in West Memphis, will begin to shift westbound traffic from the old lanes to newly constructed lanes beginning at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 8, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

Weather permitting, the shift will be completed by the end of the day. The work will require the closure of the MLK Drive Exit 280. All traffic should use the Mound City Road Exit 281 to access MLK Drive. Signs will be in place to direct traffic to MLK Drive. The westbound entrance ramp will also be closed. Traffic can still use the ramp to northbound Interstate 55 and then access westbound Interstate 40.

Motorists should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones.

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