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WORK REQUIRES RAMP CLOSURES, DETOURS ON 1-440

LITTLE ROCK (5-24) – Construction work will require closure of two ramps on I-440 in vicinity of the Little Rock airport, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials. See attached map.

Crews will be replacing the eastbound outside lane of the freeway between Bankhead Drive and Lindsey Road. The work will require closure of the Bankhead Drive on-ramp and the Lindsey Road off-ramp. Motorists traveling I-440 eastbound wishing to access Lindsey Road will exit at Bankhead Drive (Exit 3) and come to a full stop before proceeding further east on an existing auxiliary lane that connects to Lindsey Road.

Similarly, motorists entering I-440 eastbound from Bankhead Drive will be required to progress along the same auxiliary lane that connects to Lindsey Road. Traffic will be required to come to a full stop before proceeding across Lindsey Road and entering I-440 via the on-ramp.

The transition will occur **Thursday night, May 26 beginning at 9:00 p.m.** The ramp closure and detour will remain in effect until work is complete. Additional signs and portable message boards will be in place to assist motorists in navigating the work zone.

Drivers should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel information can be found at <u>IDriveArkansas.com</u> or <u>ArkansasHighways.com</u>. You can also follow us on Twitter <u>@AHTD</u>.



