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## INFORMATION RELEASE

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### **Bridge Repairs Means Highway 83 Closure near Monticello**

**DREW COUNTY (10-23)** – Repairs to a bridge on Highway 83 means a temporary highway closure near Monticello, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT) officials.

Weather permitting, crews will close a portion of Highway 83 between Rose Hill Cutoff Drive and Allen Drive from **9:00 a.m. Monday, October 26** through **Monday, November 2**. This closure will allow crews to remove the old bridge deck, place reinforcing steel, and pour new concrete.

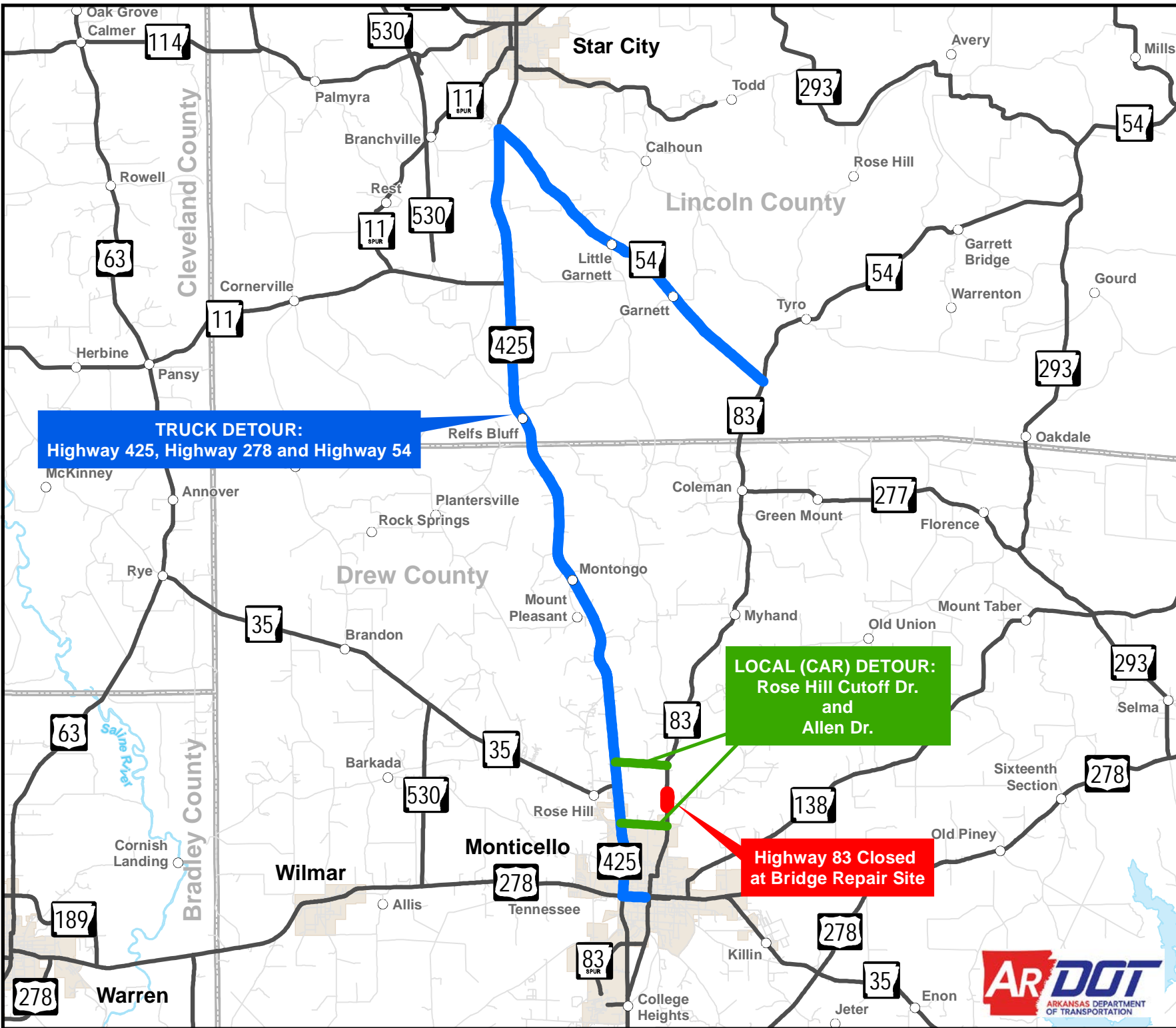
Local traffic can use Rose Hill Cutoff Drive and Allen Drive to detour around the closure.

Heavy truck traffic will use U.S. Highway 425 and State Highway 54 between Monticello and Star City to detour around the closure (see attached map).

Traffic will be controlled by advanced warning signs, barricades, and portable traffic signals. Drivers should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel information can be found at [IDriveArkansas.com](http://IDriveArkansas.com) or [ARDOT.gov](http://ARDOT.gov). You can also follow us on Twitter [@myARDOT](https://twitter.com/myARDOT).

# Highway 83 Detour

## Drew and Lincoln Counties



**TRUCK DETOUR:**  
Highway 425, Highway 278 and Highway 54

**LOCAL (CAR) DETOUR:**  
Rose Hill Cutoff Dr.  
and  
Allen Dr.

**Highway 83 Closed**  
at Bridge Repair Site

