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## INFORMATION RELEASE

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### **Maintenance Work Requires Alternating Lane Closures on Interstate 540 in Fort Smith**

**SEBASTIAN COUNTY (1-13)** – Maintenance work to repair damage from an accident on I-540 will require alternating lane closures on I-540 in Fort Smith and width restrictions on the Park Ave. Overpass, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT) officials.

Weather permitting, crews will alternate lane closures of a single lane between the inside and outside southbound lanes of I-540 between **7:30 a.m.** and **5:00 p.m.** every **Monday through Thursday starting on Tuesday, January 14.** Width restrictions will also be put in place on the Park Ave. Overpass until work is completed, which is anticipated to take three weeks.

Traffic will be controlled by traffic barrels and signage. 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).