

JANE ADDAMS MEMORIAL TOLLWAY



Roadway and Bridge Repairs

OVERVIEW

The Illinois Tollway has scheduled roadway and bridge repair work along the Jane Addams Memorial Tollway (I-90) in 2025.

Work includes pavement and bridge repairs between East Riverside Boulevard and Randall Road and local crossroad bridge repairs between Rockton Road and Rote Road, including the Belvidere Road, Harlem Road, Spring Creek Road, Rote Road and Rockton Road Bridges carrying traffic over I-90.

Additional work includes noisewall repairs, drainage and fiber optic improvements, earthwork and roadway camera installation.

Repairs are scheduled to be completed in 2025.

PROJECT SUMMARY

In 2025, pavement and bridge repairs are scheduled to begin between East Riverside Boulevard and Randall Road on I-90 to extend the life of the roadway and provide a smoother riding surface for the traveling public. Work includes repairing concrete and asphalt pavement and shoulders, as well as structural concrete and joint repairs, deck sealing and drainage system repairs.

Bridge repair work is scheduled on five local crossroad bridges: Belvidere Road, Harlem Road, Spring Creek Road, Rote Road and Rockton Road. Improvements will include bridge deck and beam repairs, paving and concrete sealing.

Customer Impacts

Lane closures and traffic shifts are necessary to provide a work zone and safely accommodate construction.

Local crossroad bridge closures with detours will be needed on Belvidere Road, Harlem Road, Spring Creek Road and Rote Road over I-90 to complete the work because the bridge structures are not wide enough to safely maintain traffic and provide work zones.

Lane reductions and traffic shifts will be needed on Rockton Road and Irene Road bridge carrying traffic over I-90.

Electronic message signs and construction signage will be put in place in advance to alert drivers to scheduled bridge

closures and detours, as well as lane closures, new traffic patterns and work zone speed limits.

WORK ZONE SAFETY

The Illinois Tollway is committed to ensuring that the Jane Addams Memorial Tollway (I-90) and local roads remain safe for both drivers and workers during construction, which is part of the agency's overall commitment to roadway safety.

Work zone speed limits are in effect in all construction zones 24/7 and drivers should continue to watch for changing traffic patterns and use caution, especially when workers are present.

The Illinois Tollway reminds motorists that the "Move Over Law" requires motorists to change lanes or to slow down and proceed with caution when passing any vehicle on the side of the road with hazard lights activated. If you see flashing lights ahead, please move over or slow down.

Illinois State Police have zero tolerance for drivers speeding in work zones or failure to comply with the Move Over Law.

The minimum penalty for speeding in a work zone is \$250 and drivers face up to a \$25,000 fine and a 14-year jail sentence for hitting a roadway worker.

Penalties for failure to slow down or move over for a vehicle on the shoulder with flashing lights include up to a \$10,000 fine, 2-year suspension of driving privileges and jail time, in extreme cases.

Visit the Tollway's Work Zone Safety page at illinoistollway.com.

PURPOSE

Repair work will provide customers an improved driving experience and extend the life of the roadway. This work is part of the Tollway's 16-year, \$15 billion capital program, *Move Illinois: The Illinois Tollway Driving the Future*.

Work is being coordinated with the Illinois Department of Transportation, Cook County, Boone County, Kane County, McHenry County, Winnebago County and local communities, as well as local fire and police departments.

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SUSTAINABILITY

The Tollway is committed to building green and minimizing the environmental impact of construction by reducing, recycling and reusing materials. In addition to reducing the cost of this work, reuse of these materials reduces the need for virgin asphalt materials and reduces energy consumption, greenhouse gases and the volume of material that would otherwise be sent to landfills.

GETTING TOLLWAY CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION

The Illinois Tollway has a variety of ways customers can get the latest travel information, including:

- illinoistollway.com – Projects section, live roadway images and real-time roadway incident information.
- [Daily construction alerts](#) — Daily and long-term lane and shoulder closure schedules.
- [Twitter.com](https://twitter.com) – Real-time roadway incident information at Tollway Trip 90, Tollway Trip 88, Tollway Trip 355, Tollway Trip 94/294 and Tollway Trip 390.