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Construction on Interstate 555 Requires Lane Closures Between Jonesboro and Trumann

CRAIGHEAD COUNTY (5-25) – Rehabilitation and resurfacing work to improve Interstate 555 between Jonesboro and Trumann will require lane closures, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT) officials.

Weather permitting, crews will begin work **Wednesday**, May 30 between Mile Markers 41 and 31. The closures will alternate between the southbound and northbound lanes throughout the duration of the project.

This project (Job 100958) includes resurfacing 9 miles of Interstate 555, bridge deck resurfacing, and guard rail replacement. The \$6,193,254.46 contract was awarded to Atlas Asphalt, Inc. The project's estimated completion date is late 2018.

Traffic will be controlled with message boards, barrier walls, signage, and traffic barrels. 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>ArDOT.gov</u>. You can also follow us on Twitter @myArDOT.