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## COX STREET TO CLOSE IN BENTON DURING HIGHWAY 35 WORK

**LITTLE ROCK** (8-14) – The contractor working on the Highway 35 railroad overpass project in Benton will require the closure of Cox Street where it intersects with Highway 35 beginning Monday, August 17 and continuing for approximately three weeks, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

Workers will be raising the grade of Cox Street to meet the new pavement on Highway 35. Weather permitting, the work will be completed by September 4.

As always, motorists are urged to exercise caution when approaching and traveling through highway work zones.

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