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WEST MEMPHIS PROJECT TO CLOSE I-40 MLK ON-RAMP

LITTLE ROCK (5-10) Beginning on **Wednesday, May 12**, crews working on the I-40 West Memphis construction project will close the MLK eastbound **off-ramp** for the next several weeks, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

Signs will be in place advising motorists to use I-55 Exit 4 to access MLK Drive during the ramp closure as crews work to re-build the concrete connection between the **off-ramp** and the I-40 mainlanes.

For one night only, on Tuesday, May 11, crews will close the I-55 northbound lanes at the I-40/I-55 interchange in order to bring down the old bridge. A detour will be in place during the work from 11:00 pm until 5:00 am.

Motorists should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones.

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