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ROUTINE INSPECTION OF INTERSTATE 40 BRIDGE AT WEST MEMPHIS TO REQUIRE LANE CLOSURE

LITTLE ROCK (7-26) -- Crews performing a routine inspection of the Interstate 40 Bridge over the Mississippi River between West Memphis and Memphis will require a lane closure next week, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The inspection will require the eastbound, outside lane to be closed beginning Monday, July 30th and continuing through Thursday, August 2nd. The lane closure will be in effect between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. daily, weather permitting.

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

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