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CONSTRUCTION REQUIRES DETOUR AT “BIG ROCK” INTERCHANGE IN LITTLE ROCK

LITTLE ROCK (9-19) – Overnight construction will require a new detour and lane closure at the Interstate 430/630 (Big Rock) Interchange, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The work will require the closure of the northwest and southwest loops, as well as the Markham Street access ramp. This will be necessary as crews hang new signs above the affected travel lanes.

The detour and lane closure will be Saturday night, September 21st through Sunday morning, September 22nd between 11:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m., weather permitting.

All southbound drivers on Interstate 430 wanting to go west on Financial Centre Parkway, east on Interstate 630, or to Markham Street will be detoured to the Shackelford Road overpass (Exit 5). Drivers wanting to access Financial Centre Parkway will turn right (north) on Shackelford Road. They can then turn left on Hermitage Road. Motorists wanting to access Markham Street will turn right on Shackelford Road to Markham Street. Motorists wanting to access Interstate 630 will turn left after exiting, cross the Shackelford Road overpass and enter Interstate 430 northbound to access Interstate 630.

Motorists on Interstate 630 westbound wanting to go south on Interstate 430 will be directed north to the Rodney Parham overpass, cross the overpass and return south on Interstate 430.

In addition, the outside southbound lane of Interstate 430 will be closed through the Big Rock interchange. **For more information, see the attached map of the detour area.**

Motorists should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel related information can be found at ArkansasHighways.com. You can also follow us on Twitter [@AHTD](https://twitter.com/AHTD).

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Big Changes at Big Rock

WORK ACTIVITY PLAN

DETOUR FOR SEPT. 21-22
OVERNIGHT: 11 P.M. TO 9 A.M. – WEATHER PERMITTING

Green Route = Detour Route **Red Route = Closed to Traffic**

