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NEWS EVENT NOTIFICATION

- WHAT:** News conference to recognize National Work Zone Safety week.
- WHO:** Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department officials, representatives of the construction industry, Springdale Mayor Doug Sprouse and others will attend.
- WHEN:** **Wednesday, April 23 at 12:30 p.m.**
- WHERE:** The event will take place in Springdale on the parking lot of the Phillips Chapel Free Will Baptist Church at 3074 South 48th Street which is located just east of I-540 near the Tyson Parkway construction project.
- WHY:** April is recognized around the country as a time for Work Zone Safety Awareness. The I-540 corridor is one of the highest traveled routes in the state and there continues to be a lot of highway construction in the area, so everyone needs to do their part to make this construction zone a safe route to travel through and work in.
- There will also be a brief update on the I-540 construction work.
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