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IMPROVEMENTS REQUIRE BRIDGE CLOSURE ON HIGHWAY 259 IN ST. FRANCIS COUNTY

LITTLE ROCK (7-18) – Improvements to Highway 259 will require closing a bridge in St. Francis County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

Crews will be replacing a bridge over a drainage ditch on Highway 259, just south of Goodwin. The bridge will be replaced by a series of culverts. During the replacement, traffic will be detoured onto county roads, as permitted by the St. Francis County Judge.

The bridge closure will be Monday, July 21st through Thursday, July 24th, weather permitting. Traffic will be controlled using barrels, warning signs and detour signs.

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

