



INFORMATION RELEASE

Office of the Director

ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND
P. O. Box 2261 – Little Rock, Arkansas
Telephone (501) 569-2227

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
ArkansasHighways.com
Twitter: @AHTD

Contact:
Randy Ort/Jeff Whatley

NR 14-258
September 15, 2014

IMPROVEMENTS TO MLK EXPRESSWAY REQUIRE LANE CLOSURES IN HOT SPRINGS

LITTLE ROCK (9-15) – Improvements to Highway 270 (MLK Expressway) will require lane closures in Hot Springs, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

Crews will be doing routine maintenance including general cleaning, weed removal, and drain cleaning along the Highway 270 (MLK Expressway) median. The work will require closing the eastbound and westbound inside lanes within the moving work area.

The eastbound lane closures were scheduled to be complete by Thursday, September 11th. However, due to weather, the work will be performed on Tuesday, September 16th and Wednesday, September 17th. The westbound inside lane closures will be Thursday, September 18th, and Monday, September 22nd through Thursday, September 25th. All work will be performed between 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., each day, weather permitting. Traffic will be controlled using barrels and warning 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).

