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## MAINTENANCE REQUIRES BRIDGE CLOSURE ON HIGHWAY 78 IN LEE COUNTY

**LITTLE ROCK (7-23)** – Maintenance will require the temporary closure of a bridge on Highway 78 in Lee County, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

The work will be performed on the bridge that's over McNulty Lake/Big Creek, west of Aubrey. Highway 78 will be closed and detour routes will be provided using County Road 177 west of the bridge to Highway 243. Drivers can also use County Road 165 east of the bridge to Highway 121.

The Highway 78 closure will occur Monday, July 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 a.m. until Wednesday, July 29<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m., weather permitting.

The bridge that's undergoing maintenance was constructed 1974. It is 270 feet long and 23 feet wide.

Drivers should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel information can be found at <u>IDriveArkansas.com</u> or <u>ArkansasHighways.com</u>. You can also follow us on <u>Twitter @AHTD</u>.

