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## DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS ON HIGHWAY 8 REQUIRE ROAD CLOSURE IN DALLAS COUNTY

**LITTLE ROCK (9-17)** – Drainage improvements on State Highway 8 require closing a portion of the highway in Dallas County next week, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

Crews will install a new box culvert beneath Highway 8. The work will be located 0.8 miles east of the intersection with State Highway 7.

The work will require closing Highway 8 during the installation. An alternate detour route will be provided utilizing State Highways 9, 128 and 7 from Princeton to Dalark. (Detour Route Map attached)

The Highway 8 road closure will be in effect **Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 a.m.** through **Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m.,** weather permitting. Traffic will be controlled using barrels and warning signs.

Drivers 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.



