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Construction Work on Interstate 555 in Sunken Lands Requires Lane Closures and Width Restrictions

POINSETT COUNTY (3-14) – Construction work to improve the bridge decks on I-555 between Marked Tree and Payneway, commonly referred to as the ‘Sunken Lands’, will require lane closures and width restrictions, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT) officials.

Weather permitting; crews will perform rehabilitation work on the bridge decks which will require lane closures starting on **Wednesday, March 14**. This work will require the installation of a barrier wall, reducing the permitted wide load to 12 feet, and will impact both the northbound and southbound lanes. Work is estimated to be completed within five months.

Traffic will be controlled with message boards, concrete barrier walls, signage and traffic barrels. Drivers should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel information can be found at IDriveArkansas.com or ARDOT.gov. You can also follow us on Twitter [@myARDOT](https://twitter.com/myARDOT).