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## INFORMATION RELEASE

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### **Maintenance Work Requires Temporary Closure of State Highway 51 in Arkadelphia**

**CLARK COUNTY (3-15)** – Maintenance work will require the temporary closure of State Highway 51 in Arkadelphia, according to officials from the Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT).

Weather permitting; crews will close State Highway 51 (Pine St.) between 15<sup>th</sup> St. and 16<sup>th</sup> St. in Arkadelphia starting at **7:00 a.m.** on **Monday, March 18** through **5:00 p.m.** on **Thursday, March 21**. This closure will allow crews to replace a cross drain. Local traffic will be allowed to enter the work zone.

Commercial vehicle traffic entering Arkadelphia from State Highway 8 will be detoured down State Highway 51 towards Okolona. Commercial vehicle traffic entering Arkadelphia from State Highway 7 will be detoured north to Caddo Valley or they can turn south along U.S. Highway 67 towards Gum Springs.

Traffic will be controlled with 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](http://IDriveArkansas.com) or [ARDOT.gov](http://ARDOT.gov). You can also follow us on Twitter [@myARDOT](https://twitter.com/myARDOT).