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Arkansas Drivers Reminded to use IDriveArkansas.com for Independence Day Holiday Travel Information

LITTLE ROCK (6-27) – The Arkansas Department of Transportation (ARDOT) reminds drivers to “know before you go” and visit IDriveArkansas.com before traveling during this Independence Day Holiday.

Extensive highway improvements continue through the state. With those improvements come work zones. To aid in your holiday travel, ARDOT has been working hard to open as many lanes as possible. Still, travelers will likely face work zones and possible delays due to increased traffic volume.

Overall travel volume for the holiday is expected to rise 4.1% over last year, according to the American Automobile Association (AAA). The AAA predicts that more than 41 million Americans will travel by automobile between Wednesday, July 3 and Sunday, July 7.

To help motorists find ways around accidents and work zone backups on Interstates, ARDOT has an Alternate Routes feature on IDriveArkansas.com. It displays linkages between the Interstate corridors and secondary routes that motorists may consider when travel is delayed. You can also follow us on Twitter [@myARDOT](https://twitter.com/myARDOT).

Below is a list of closures on Arkansas’ Primary Highway Network during the holiday weekend. Motorists are encouraged to look at IDriveArkansas.com to find closures that are on secondary and low traffic volume routes.

Route	County	City	Mile Marker	Distance	Lanes Closed	Time
I-530	Jefferson	Pine Bluff	35-46	11 miles	One Lane Both Directions	24 hours
Hwy 155	Yell	Dardanelle	6-8	2 miles	All Lanes, Both Directions	24 hours
Hwy 38	Crittenden	West Memphis	0-1	1 mile	Outside Lane, Both Directions	24 hours
Hwy 67	White	Bald Knob	59-65	6 miles	Inside Northbound Lane	24 hours
I-555	Poinsett County	Marked Tree	15-18	3 miles	One Lane, Both Directions	24 hours
Hwy 23	Franklin	Ozark	10-25	2 miles at a time	Northbound Lane	24 hours
Hwy 70	Crittenden	West Memphis	3-7	4 miles	Alternating One Lane	7am-7pm
Hwy 49	Phillips	Helena	17-27	10 miles	Varying	7am-7pm
I-30	Nevada	Prescott	44-48	4 miles	One Lane	12am-10am