Work on Interstate 30 Requires Ramp Closures in Little Rock

PULASKI COUNTY (10-8) – Crews performing work along the Interstate 30 corridor in Little Rock will require multiple ramp closures for westbound I-30, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ArDOT) officials.

Weather permitting, westbound I-30 ramp closures will begin on Tuesday, October 13.

- **Westbound I-30 off-ramp to 9th Street (Exit 140A)** – Permanent closure beginning Tuesday, October 13. Traffic may use the 6th Street off-ramp (Exit 140B) or detour to the Main Street exit on I-630 to access downtown (Exit 1A). See attached map for detour route to I-630.

- **9th Street on-ramp to westbound I-30** – Long-term closure beginning Wednesday, October 14 through mid-2021. See attached map for detour route.

- **Westbound I-30 off-ramp to 6th Street (Exit 140B)** – Intermittent overnight closures on Wednesday, October 14 and Thursday, October 15, between 8:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. Traffic will temporarily detour to the Main Street exit on I-630 to access downtown (Exit 1A). See attached map for detour route.

Traffic will be controlled by signage, construction barrels, and barriers. The public is advised to be cautious when traveling in the work zone and watch for slower traffic speeds.

The 30 Crossing project (Job CA0602) is part of ArDOT’s Connecting Arkansas Program that was approved by voters in 2012. It is being funded with the proceeds from the temporary ½-cent sales tax that is set to expire in 2023. The passage or failure of Issue 1 at the polls this November will have no impact on the 30 Crossing work that is beginning this fall, including the construction of a new Arkansas River bridge and improved access to both downtowns. More information on the CAP is available at ConnectingArkansasProgram.com.

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.

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Westbound I-30 Ramp Closures to 6th and 9th Streets (Exits 140A and 140B)

Little Rock, Arkansas

Exit 140B Ramp temporarily closed during overnight hours (detour route is signed)

When Exit 140B is intermittently closed, traffic detours westbound to I-630 and exits to Main Street to access downtown

Exit 140A Ramp permanently closed to 9th Street (detour route is signed)
On-Ramp to Westbound I-30 Detour
Little Rock, Arkansas

Traffic detours to the East 6th Street bridge, moves north to East 4th Street, and follows signs to the westbound I-30 on-ramp

Traffic traveling southbound on the frontage road will not be able to enter westbound I-30 at the on-ramp south of 9th St. The detour is as follows:

1. From the southbound frontage road, turn right to head west on 11th St.
2. Turn right to head north on McMath Ave.
3. Turn left to head west on 9th St.
4. Turn right to head north on Ferry St. Continue north on Ferry St. through 8th and 7th Sts.
5. Turn right to head east on 6th St. Cross over I-30 on the 6th St. bridge.
6. Turn left to head north on the frontage road/Rector St.
7. Turn left to head west on 4th St. Continue west on 4th St. through River Market and Rock St. intersection.
8. Turn right to head north on Cumberland.
9. Veer right onto Cantrell interchange to I-30 West.

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