CLAY COUNTY (12-13) – Safety concerns revealed during a routine bridge inspection necessitate the closure of a State Highway 139 bridge near Marmaduke, according to Arkansas Department of Transportation (ArDOT) officials.

A routine inspection of this structure, done in accordance with federal standards, revealed concerns about the load carrying capacity of the bridge. On average, approximately 350 vehicles travel across this bridge daily.

Traffic will be controlled by traffic barrels and signage. 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.