

PRESS RELEASE

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<u>ROAD CLOSURES</u> <u>CHESTNUT ST. (US BUS 20 EB) FROM</u> <u>WYMAN ST. TO MADISON ST</u> JULY 24, 2017

Rockford – Beginning Monday July 24, 2017 at 7:00 a.m., Chestnut/Walnut St. (US Business 20 eastbound) will be closed from Wyman St. to Madison St. to allow for railroad crossing repairs to the Union Pacific railway.

The following detour route for Chestnut St. (US Business 20) eastbound will be in place:

- S. Church St.(IL Route 2) south to Cedar St. east on Cedar St. to S. Main St.;
- South on S. Main to Morgan St., east on Morgan St./College Ave. to Kishwaukee St.;
- North on Kishwaukee St. to Walnut St. (US Business 20 EB)

Repairs are expected to be complete by Friday July 28, 2017 however schedule is weather dependent

One lane of traffic will be open on the bridge to allow for entrance into UW Health Sports Factory complex for their visitors. Drivers are also reminded that the intersection of E. State and Madison St. will be under STOP SIGN control as well during this period.

We urge local traffic to be alert as they maneuver through the downtown area.

Questions regarding the above closure should be directed to Kelly Nokes, Deputy Operations Manager, City of Rockford Public Works.