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Concrete Slab Repair Project Will Close Lanes on Milwaukee and Willowbrook Roads

Oct. 1, 2018 - Work to repair and replace deteriorated concrete slabs began this week on Milwaukee Road near the Turtle Creek bridge and on Willowbrook Road between the railroad tracks and Springbrook Court.

Contractors hired by the City of Beloit's Engineering Division started the project on Monday, Oct. 1, which is expected to end first week of November. The roads will remain open to traffic during the project, and there will be no official detour posted.

Milwaukee Road will have one lane open in each direction. Willowbrook Road will be restricted to one lane total. Temporary traffic control measures will be utilized in the work zone and drivers should follow all traffic signage.

"Drivers should slow down, be aware of construction activities and proceed cautiously through the work zone," said Public Works Director Laura Pigatti Williamson.

This project is part of the City's ongoing maintenance program that will extend the life of the roadway corridor.

This work is unrelated to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation's project on Colley Road under I39/90, which is closed to all traffic until early December 2018, weather permitting. The state is beginning work on the new piers for the I-39/90 bridges over Colley Road in advance of the 2019 construction in this area.

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