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## Deerfield Road Construction Update: Deerfield Road Closed Between Waukegan Road and Chestnut Street Starting August 1

Deerfield Road will be closed between Waukegan Road (IL-43) and Chestnut Street for 30 days beginning on Monday, August 1, 2016, to allow for construction operations. This closure is required in order to reconstruct infrastructure between the Metra Viaduct and Waukegan Road.

Simultaneously, maintenance work will be performed on the Deerfield Road bridge over the west fork of the Chicago River (east of Deerpath Drive), which will prohibit traffic from crossing the bridge.

These infrastructure improvements will result in a full closure and detour using local roads (see map included below). Eastbound Deerfield Road traffic will go south on Wilmot Road, east on Central Avenue, then north on Elm Street, then east on Osterman Avenue onto northbound Waukegan Road. Westbound traffic will go north on Waukegan Road, then west on Hazel Avenue, then south on Wilmot Road. This will also result in the closure of Robert York Avenue at Deerfield Road.

In efforts to minimize traffic congestion on the detour route, parking will not be permitted on streets along the detour route (where posted), specifically on Hazel Avenue and Central Avenue east of the bridge.

The Village reminds motorists to obey the posted detour and speed limit as the Village of Deerfield Police Department will be extra diligent in performing enforcement on all Village roadways.

