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ILLINOIS ROUTE 7/SOUTHWEST HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION
Road Closure – 143rd Street to LaGrange Road

ORLAND PARK, ILLINOIS – Construction on Illinois Route 7/Southwest Highway will begin on Tuesday, May 30, 2006. Route 7 will be closed between 143rd Street and LaGrange Road. Local traffic will be permitted between 135th Street and LaGrange Road and access to those businesses will remain available throughout the duration of the construction.

The village’s portion of the project will provide a reconstruction of Route 7 roadway and parking along the railroad tracks between 143rd Street and LaGrange Road. Completion of this portion of construction is anticipated to be completed by the end of 2006. However, the road will remain closed throughout the Illinois Department of Transportation’s (IDOT) construction of a new bridge over LaGrange Road. Detour signs are posted.

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