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## **MDOT to detour I-69 traffic for bridge demolition**

Flint, Michigan. ---

Beginning Friday, March 4 at 9 p.m., the **Michigan Department of Transportation** will close westbound I-69 at the I-475 interchange to allow for bridge demolition, weather permitting. Drivers should follow the posted detours via I-475 and Stewart Avenue. There will also be lane closures on northbound I-475 between Atherton Road and I-69. Westbound I-69 is expected to reopen on Monday, March 7 by 5 a.m. Drivers should allow additional time to reach their destination.

The work is also expected to happen the weekend of March 11. At that time, 9<sup>th</sup> Street between Grand Traverse Street and Saginaw Street will be closed. The eastbound I-69 ramps will stay open; however, they will close on March 14 until the project is complete in Mid-October.

This project is part of the Michigan Department of Transportation's \$100 million investment to rebuild more than 2 miles of I-69. It is also part of the Rebuilding Michigan program. Please contact the Michigan Department of Transportation Bay Region at (989) 754-7443 if you have questions.

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*Please slow down in work zones, for your family and ours.*