



# City of Joliet

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## MEDIA RELEASE

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### Millsdale Road Railroad Crossing to Close June 1-2 for Repairs

**JOLIET, III.** — Millsdale Road will be closed at the Union Pacific railroad crossing, located between IL Route 53 and Centerpoint Way, beginning at 12:00 a.m. on Monday, June 1. The temporary closure is necessary for the railroad to make repairs to the crossing.

The crossing will remain closed for approximately 48 hours, through Tuesday, June 2. During this time, no through traffic will be permitted on Millsdale Road at the railroad crossing.

To help maintain access for affected businesses, the Illinois Department of Transportation has granted temporary truck access to the portion of Millsdale Road east of the railroad tracks via Route 53 for the duration of the repairs. The public and commercial vehicles are encouraged to plan ahead, follow posted detour routes, and allow additional travel time.

The City appreciates the public's patience and cooperation while this work is completed.

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### About the City of Joliet

The City of Joliet is located in Will and Kendall counties in the State of Illinois, 30 miles (48 km) southwest of Chicago. It is the county seat of Will County. At the 2020 census, the City was the third largest in Illinois, with a population of 150,362. For more information about the City, visit <https://www.joliet.gov>.