



**PEORIA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT**  
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**EDEN ROAD BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION NEWSLETTER**

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**TO:** Peoria County Road Users

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**SUBJECT:** Report 25, Weekly Construction Update for Week Ending 10/22/2016

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Construction that has occurred over the past week is as follows:

- The bridge deck and approach slabs had protective coat applied to them.
- Project and bridge inspections were performed by IDOT and Peoria County, respectively.
- The roadway was swept off and temporary centerline strips were then applied to the roadway. This was done so that the road could be opened up to traffic, and because the permanent pavement striping has yet to be applied.
- All of the detour route signs and road closure barricades / signs were taken down and removed from the jobsite. Eden Road was re-opened to traffic at 1100AM Thursday.

Construction that is currently planned for this coming week is as follows:

- The permanent epoxy paint striping will be applied to edges and centerline of the new pavement. The striping subcontractor has indicated that the work will be done during the week of 10-23-16, but the exact day and time has yet to be determined. The work will not take long to perform and will be done under traffic.
- The contractor plans to dress the borrow pit one last time and remove any remaining materials and equipment from the jobsite.

The project is being overseen by the Peoria County Highway Department. The current estimated completion date is October 2016. Weather and unforeseen conditions will always affect the schedule.