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## For Immediate Release

**Date:** May 12, 2025

**What:** Multiple upcoming road construction projects, closures, and detours on Morgantown Road in White River Township.

- 1. FULL CLOSURE** of County Road 144 and Morgantown Road intersection.  
**When:** Beginning Tuesday May 27<sup>th</sup>. Road anticipated to be open to traffic by end of day Tuesday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, weather permitting.  
**Who:** Contractor on behalf of Johnson County Highway Department  
**Why:** Construction of a new roundabout.
- 2. FULL CLOSURE** of Morgantown Road (CR 500 W) between Whiteland Rd (CR 500 N) and Smokey Row Road (CR 600 N).  
**When:** Beginning Monday June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Project has duration of approximately three weeks, weather permitting.  
**Who:** Contractor on behalf of Town of Bargersville  
**Why:** Construction of new entrance into a new residential subdivision
- 3. DAYTIME CLOSURES** on Morgantown Road (CR 500 W) between Smokey Row Road (CR 600 N) and Stones Crossing Road (CR 700 N)  
**When:** The work will occur during the day starting Monday May 27<sup>th</sup> to Monday June 30<sup>th</sup>, weather permitting. This segment of Morgantown Road will be closed during work hours, and will be open to traffic at the end of each day.  
**Who:** Johnson County Highway Department  
**Why:** Road repairs in preparation for upcoming work by a contractor during the month of July.

**Detour:** Roads will be closed to all through-traffic during the times noted above.  
Local residents and traffic will have access, but not through the work zone. See attached map for detour routes.

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## Summer 2025

Morgantown Road Closures and Detour Routes  
Dates and Times as shown (Weather Permitting)

