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MEDIA ALERT: TRAFFIC ADVISORY
Eastbound lane on LA 18 to be closed for two days

ELMWOOD, La. – The eastbound traffic lane on LA 18 from LA 541/River Road to US 90 will be closed starting Saturday, June 13 at 7 a.m. and ending Sunday, June 14 at 6 p.m. Eastbound traffic on LA 18 will be detoured to LA 541/River Road through Bridge City Avenue to the West Bank traffic circle. The westbound LA 18 traffic lane will be detoured north of its current alignment at the intersection of LA 18 and US 90 just west of the traffic light.

The completed Huey P. Long Bridge Widening Project will include three 11-foot lanes in each direction, along with new inside and outside shoulders across the bridge. The project also will include construction of new roadway approaches that will provide signalized intersections at Bridge City Avenue and Jefferson Highway. The entire project is scheduled to be complete by 2013.

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