KANE COUNTY DIVISION OF TRANSPORTATION

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Press Release

New Multi-Way Stop at Dittman Road and McDonald Road

The Kane County Division of Transportation (KDOT) will post **new signage and install a new overhead flashing beacon for a new multi-way stop at the intersection of Dittman Road and McDonald Road during the week of May 14, 2018.** The new multi-way stop is anticipated to be in place at approximately 10:00 AM on Wednesday, May 16, 2018, weather permitting.

The new multi-way stop and overhead flashing beacon are being installed at this location as a safety enhancement. In the days leading up to May 16th, KDOT will be deploying message boards to alert motorists of the coming change. Also, supplemental signage and warning flags will also be posted for the first several weeks to call special attention to the new configuration.

Starting at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, May 16th, motorists traveling on Dittman Road should anticipate the need to stop at McDonald Road and exercise caution when approaching the intersection.

Information regarding this change and other active Traffic Advisories are available on the Kane County Division of Transportation's web page at http://www.co.kane.il.us/dot/trafficalerts.

Motorist need to be prepared to reduce their speed, exercise caution, and be extra alert. Motorist must watch for construction workers, construction vehicles entering or leaving the site, and obey flaggers and other traffic control devices.

Any questions or concerns may be directed to the Chief of Traffic Operations & Permitting, Kurt Nika, at (630) 584-1171.

For all Kane County traffic advisories, visit the **<u>Traffic Alerts Page</u>** of the KDOT website.

Work Zone Safety Alert

Drivers in this project area should be prepared to reduce their speed, exercise caution, watch for construction workers and construction vehicles entering or leaving the site, and obey flaggers and other traffic control devices within the work zone.

Drivers should expect delays and may want to add additional time to their commutes and consider the use of alternate routes while this work is completed.

KDOT reminds drivers that is illegal to talk on a cell phone or text while driving through a highway construction work zone. The minimum penalty for speeding in a work zone is \$375.

Click this link to find out how Kane County Drivers can "make zero fatalities a reality."



