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**Media Release**

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**COMMUTER PEDESTRIAN TUNNEL CLOSURES AT THE TRAIN STATION  
BEGINNING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2017**

As part of the continued work on the Joliet Gateway Center transportation campus, pedestrian tunnels near the train station will be closed in phases for construction activities beginning Monday, February 13, 2017.

Phase I: The New Street Pedestrian Tunnel will be closed daily beginning Monday, February 13, 2017. Work will began after 8:30 AM and the tunnel will be reopened by 4:30 PM each day for approximately three days. Flaggers will be provided within the intersection of York Avenue and Washington Street to maintain one lane of vehicular traffic.

Phase II: Upon completion of Phase I work and reopening of the New Street Pedestrian Tunnel, the Union Station Pedestrian Tunnel will be closed. This work is estimated to be completed by Friday, February 24, 2017. The sidewalk on the west side of Mayor Art Schultz Drive will also be out of service during this work. Flaggers will be provided within the intersection of York Avenue and Washington Street to maintain one lane of vehicular traffic.

Northbound Mayor Art Schultz Drive will be maintained for continuous access to the Metra ticket trailer and parking area.

For additional information, contact the City of Joliet Department of Public Works at 815-724-4200.

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