# OPENING LANES FOR TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE

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No broken pavement, open holes, trenches, barricades, cones, or drums will remain on or adjacent to the traveled way and all lanes shall be opened to traffic during the Total Solar Eclipse Period, except where major bridge construction and/or other roadway reconstruction (excluding patching and resurfacing) requiring overnight lane closures would make it impractical.

Total Solar Eclipse Period: The Total Solar Eclipse will be on Monday April 8, 2024 for the Illinois Area. The Total Solar Eclipse Period for open lanes shall be as stated below.

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| Day of Total Solar Eclipse | Length of Total Solar Eclipse Period |
| Monday | 12:01 AM on Saturday until 6:00 AM Tuesday |

These requirements shall apply in addition to any other requirements in the Standard Specifications.