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MDOT virtual open house June 16 to discuss Second Avenue bridge slide over I-94 in Detroit

Detroit, Mich. - The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) invites the public to attend a virtual open house regarding the upcoming [Second Avenue bridge slide over I-94](#) in Detroit. The bridge slide is expected to take place in mid-July. During this virtual event, there will be a brief presentation on how the bridge slide will occur, the duration of the I-94 closure, and detours, followed by a question-and-answer session.

Who:

MDOT staff and project consultants

Interested residents and local stakeholders

When/Where:

Thursday, June 16, 2022

11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Zoom virtual public meeting: [click here for zoom meeting](#)

To join by phone without using internet, call toll free: 877-853-5247

Webinar ID: 874 7727 4329

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6 - 7:30 p.m.

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Project information:

The original Second Avenue overpass was built in 1954. The new bridge will be the first network tied arch structure in the state of Michigan. Network refers to the cables that are crossed from the top of the arch to the bottom of the structure on each side. The skeleton of the new bridge was built offsite at Wayne State University and will be rolled into place using self-propelled modular transports. Both directions of I-94 will need to be closed between I-75 and M-10 (Lodge Freeway) for seven days during bridge slide work, anticipated to begin Sunday, July 10.

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