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WisDOT: Kenosha, Racine and Walworth County remain impassible

Location: ILLINOIS TRAVELERS URGED TO AVOID WISCONSIN ROADS

Northbound I-94 in Kenosha County is closed due to truck incidents at three locations: I-94 at County C (a partial closure) and full closures at I-94 at WIS 50 and I-94 at County KR (Kenosha Racine county line).

Plowing and towing operations have been called so the closures are expected to remain for an undetermined period of time. Travelers coming to Wisconsin from Illinois and northbound travelers in Kenosha County are urged to find a safe place during these closure incidents.

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation, along with the State Patrol, is reminding that the Interstate system in Kenosha, Racine and Walworth County remains impassible and urges travelers to avoid traveling on I-94 in Kenosha and Racine counties. Access to the Interstate in this area has been restricted since early Wednesday morning and will likely be restricted for much of the day. Blizzard conditions that make clearing difficult are expected to last until at least noon today.

Travelers are also reminded that I-43 from Beloit to Mukwonago (Rock, Walworth, and Waukesha Counties) remains impassible.

Travel is not advised throughout the entire southern third of southern Wisconsin. So motorists attempting to use those parts of the Interstate should make alternate plans. However, all highways are in hazardous condition.

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