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Utility Work Requires Lane Closure on U.S. Highway 71B in Bentonville

BENTON COUNTY (2-10) – Utility work by the city of Bentonville will require a temporary lane closure on U.S. Highway 71B, according to Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) officials.

On **Monday, February 13, at 6:00 a.m.**, the southbound left turn lane on U.S. Highway 71B will be closed at W. Central Avenue. This lane allows motorists to turn east on West Central Avenue. Additionally, traffic northbound on U.S. Highway 71B will be restricted from making a right turn onto West Central Avenue.

These turning movements will be restricted **24/7** until **Friday, March 31**, while the city conducts utility work on West Central Avenue. Traffic will be controlled using advance warning signs and traffic drums. A detour map is attached.

Drivers should exercise caution when approaching and traveling through all highway work zones. Additional travel information can be found at IDriveArkansas.com or ArkansasHighways.com. You can also follow us on [Twitter @AHTD](https://twitter.com/AHTD).



