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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (October 5, 2021) - The Wabash Tunnel will be closed during off-peak hours for several days this month while consultants perform state-mandated inspections of the 118 year-old passage.

The tunnel will be closed between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. from Monday, October 11 through Friday, October 15, and between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. from Monday, October 18 through Thursday, October 21.

It will be open in the inbound direction from 6 a.m. until 9 a.m. and in the outbound direction from 3 p.m. until 11 p.m. each day.

The Wabash Tunnel opened in 1903 and operated as a railroad tunnel until 1946. It has provided a shortcut for motorists from Route 51 to the South Side and downtown since 2004.

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