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**Updated Bridge and Street closure announcement for Texas Street  
bridge event**

Shreveport Police Chief Wayne Smith announces bridge and street closures for the Bakowski Bridge of Lights celebration next week.

On February 22, 2022, the Texas Street Bridge will close at 9:00 a.m. and will re-open at 9:00 p.m. The bridge will be closed to east and west bound traffic, so travelers will not be able to enter the bridge from Shreveport or Bossier City.

The following streets will be closed at 2:00 p.m.:

- Commerce Street at Milam Street
- Crocket Street at Spring Street
- Clyde Fant Memorial Parkway from Milam Street to Lake Street

Lake Street will be open starting at 2:00 p.m.

Market Street and Spring Street will remain open north and south bound allowing for travel through downtown.

Chief Smith would like to congratulate all those who are choosing to take their marriage vows and renew their marriage vows during this special event.