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Chicago South and Lombard Driver Services Facilities Closed This Afternoon Due to Air Conditioning Issues

Check the website at ilsos.gov for further updates

The Chicago South Driver Services Facility and the Lombard Driver Services Facility are closed this afternoon due to extreme heat because the air conditioning units at both locations are currently not functioning.

The facility's air conditioning unit at 9901 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr. is awaiting necessary mechanical parts. Fans and spot coolers were set up in the facility; however, these efforts could not effectively cool the facility enough in the heat.

The air conditioning unit at the Lombard facility at 837 S. Westmore-Meyers Rd., B27 is currently not functioning. The facility's air conditioning unit is awaiting a mechanical assessment by the owner of the property.

"We apologize to customers and thank them for their patience and understanding during this time," said Secretary of State Jesse White. "We appreciate the hard work and dedication of employees at these locations."

White advises the public to visit ilsos.gov to check the status of these facilities tomorrow.

White continues to encourage people to conduct business online at ilsos.gov. In addition to driver's license and ID card renewals for those who qualify, online services include obtaining a duplicate driver's license or ID card, ordering a driver record and purchasing license plate stickers.

As a reminder, White has extended all driver's license, learner's permits and ID card expiration dates to July 31, 2022. The extension does not apply to Commercial driver's licenses (CDL) and CDL learner's permits.

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