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## **Bridge on U.S. 50 over I-135 scheduled to close Aug. 27 for repairs**

Crews are expected to begin the third phase of repairs to a bridge on westbound U.S. 50 over I-135 in Harvey County next week.

The bridge is expected to close Aug. 27 for 30 consecutive days.

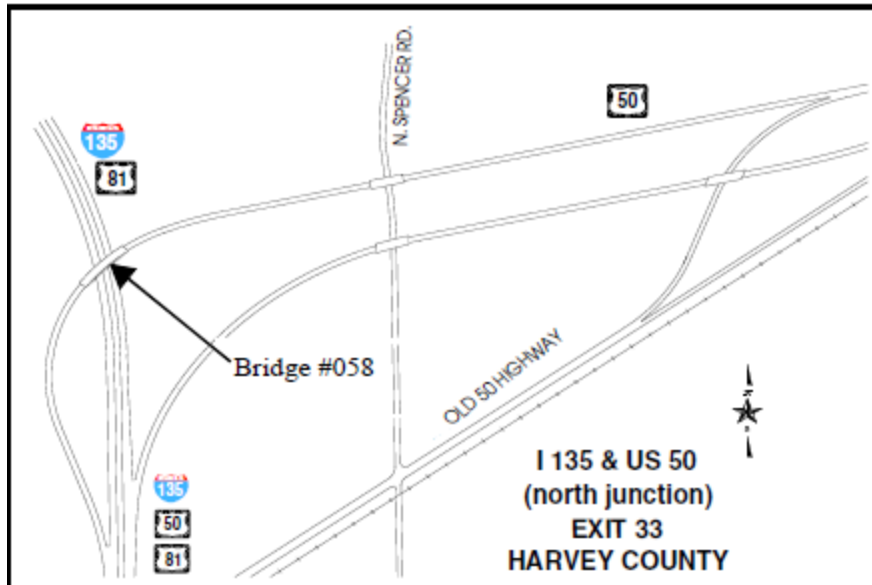
The third phase will include remaining deck patching, placement of a concrete overlay and the application of masonry coating to bridge rails as well as removal of a lighting system. While the bridge is closed, U.S. 50 westbound traffic will be detoured north on U.S. 77 at the U.S. 50 and U.S. 77 junction, west on U.S. 56, south on K-15 and south on I-135 north of Newton. Signs will advise people traveling westbound on U.S. 50 of the detour in advance. Please see maps below.

Local traffic only will be able to exit U.S. 50 onto East Old Trail Road.

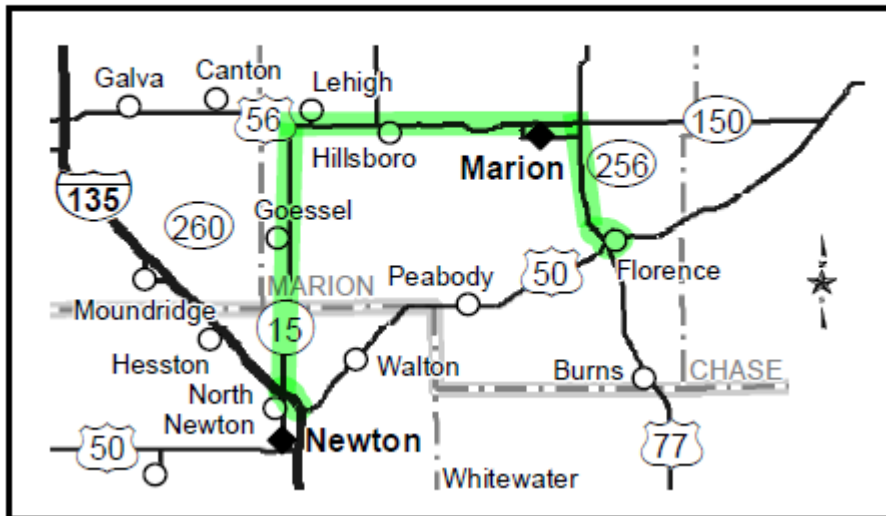
The primary contractor for the \$307,109 project is Wildcat Construction Co. Inc. of Topeka.

The Kansas Department of Transportation urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs and "Give 'Em a Brake!" when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. Persons with questions about this road work or other KDOT projects may call South Central Kansas Public Affairs Manager Deb Gruver at 620-663-3361 or 1-877-550-5368 (toll free).

## Project Map



## Westbound US-50 Detour Map



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