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US-281 Highway in Hoisington Closing for Annual Labor Day Celebration

Starting September 1st through September 6th, the City of Hoisington will begin a permitted road closing of US-281 Highway from Reference Post 114 to Reference Post 116 for the annual Labor Day Celebration in Barton County.

With both lanes being affected and closed by the project, local traffic will be detoured on local streets with a resting speed limit of 20 mph. Minimal time delays to be expected. All loads over 12' of total width and 14' of vertical clearance should seek alternative routes. All super loads should be rerouted on alternate routes.

For more information about T-WORKS projects and funding visit the website, www.ksdot.org/tworks. Highway construction project locations and road condition information can be viewed at the <http://511.ksdot.org> website, or can also be accessed by telephone by dialing 511.

KDOT 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 can call South Central Kansas Public Affairs Manager, Zach Oswald, at 620-663-3361 or 1-877-550-5368 (Toll free).

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