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## U.S. 83 Connected Vehicle Project Open House Set for June 21

COLBY – The Kansas Department of Transportation will host an open house for the Great Plans Rural Freight Technology Corridor Project (U.S. 83 Connected Vehicle Project) from 4 to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, June 21. The open house will take place at the City Limits Convention Center, 2227 S. Range Ave., in Colby.

KDOT and project team representatives will provide information and respond to questions about the U.S. 83 Connected Vehicle Project and outline the project schedule. There will be no formal presentation.

The project corridor extends 131 miles along U.S. 83 from the Thomas/Sheridan County line south to the Finney/Haskell County line. The project will make use of advanced technology to improve safety, mobility and economic productivity along U.S. 83.

In September 2022, KDOT received a nearly \$7 million Advanced Transportation and Congestion Management Technologies Deployment grant from the Federal Highway Administration to support this project.

If you require accommodations to attend the meeting or need translation services, contact Lisa Mussman, <u>Lisa.Mussman@ks.gov</u>, or Yazmin Moreno, <u>Yazmin.Moreno@ks.gov</u>. Requests should be made at least three days prior to the meeting.

For those unable to attend, meeting materials and other information will be available after the meeting on KDOT's IKE website by <u>CLICKING HERE</u>.

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