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US-50 Reconstruction in Chase County (Revised)

Monday, Aug, 27, 2012, a project to reconstruct a one mile segment of US-50 in Chase County began construction. The project starts at the west City limit of Strong City then west one mile to the US-50/K-177 junction. In addition to replacing the deteriorated concrete, under drains are being installed beneath the roadway. Traffic on US-50 is restricted to one lane and controlled via traffic lights. A 35 mph speed limit is in effect as is a 12 ft width restriction.

Plans originally called for construction to be completed on or about Oct 31st but due to a conflict with an adjoining project in the area this project was delayed to allow the other to be completed before restarting this reconstruction project. The revised estimated completion date is early December of this year.

The purpose of the project is to preserve this section of highway while providing a smoother surface for the traveling public.

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