

TRAFFIC ALERT – UPDATE!

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U.S. 75

GOOD NEWS...delayed just a bit: U.S. 75 SCHEDULED TO REOPEN EARLY AFTERNOON TOMORROW! Northbound U.S. 75 left passing lane from the U.S. 56 junction (Osage County) to Topeka Boulevard (Shawnee County) is scheduled to **REOPEN** to unrestricted traffic **early afternoon tomorrow, Wednesday, December 4.** Crews will finish remaining pavement marking work first, followed by the removal of all traffic control, before U.S. 75 is fully reopened to unrestricted traffic. **Reopening delayed slightly as additional shoulder work needs to be completed before the roadway can fully open to traffic.**

NOTE: The final asphalt lift on both lanes of northbound U.S. 75 will be completed next spring. Since the final asphalt lift was not completed this construction season, the new asphalt pavement lift that was applied was tapered into the bridge approaches for both lanes of northbound U.S. 75. The speed limit will be returned to its normal 65 mph posting beginning later today.

All asphalt resurfacing work, including tie-in tapers to the bridge approaches on northbound U.S. 75 have been completed for the 2013 construction season. Remaining asphalt work on northbound U.S. 75 and all project work on southbound U.S. 75 will resume in the Spring of 2014.

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