

TRAFFIC ALERT

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U.S. 24

24/7 ADJACENT ROADWAY CLOSURES! Beginning at **7:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 24-Tuesday, July 30**, the following Jefferson County roadways adjacent to U.S. 24 will be **CLOSED**, 24/7 round the clock, for approximately four days each to all traffic for pavement work on westbound U.S. 24. Decatur Road and Clark Road will remain open.

- **Old Highway 24 access closed north of US-24 only beginning on Wednesday, July 24**
- **Douglas Road access closed north of US-24 only beginning on Friday, July 26**

Marked detours will be provided. U.S. 24 traffic will detour via the next intersection directly to the west of the closed intersection for these roadways. Traffic will be directed through the project work zone via signage and cones. Drivers should expect minor delays during peak travel times and must use alternate routes during the roadway closures.

Updated traffic information for this pavement repair project can be viewed online at: www.ksdot.org/topekametro/laneclose.asp.

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 the project work zone.

The work is part of the pavement reconstruction project on a 5.3-mile section of US-24 from just west of the Muddy Creek Bridge in Grantville to just east of the K-237 junction in Jefferson County. Project work includes removal and replacement of pavement, shoulder work, and the addition of a right turn lane at Clark Road. The scheduled

completion date for this pavement reconstruction project is late August 2013, weather permitting. (KDOT Project #24-44 KA 2404-01)

This portion of the project work is scheduled to be completed and these specific roadways reopened to all traffic **by early August 2013**, weather permitting.

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