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## TRAFFIC ALERT

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For Friday, November 18, 2011 in Lawrence/Douglas County

## <u>US-40/US-59 (Kansas River Bridge)</u>

**EXPECT MAJOR DELAYS!** Southbound US-40/US-59 will be reduced to one lane over the Kansas River bridge in Downtown Lawrence for overlay work beginning at **9:00 a.m. on Friday, November 18.** Crews will work during the daylight hours only.

Beginning at 9:00 a.m. tomorrow, crews will complete overlay work on the southbound bridge, which means more equipment and manpower will be on the bridge resulting in traffic traveling <u>much slower</u> than it has been during the project causing the potential for increased delays.

## Drivers should allow extra time or use alternate routes, if possible.

The overlay work on the bridge is scheduled to be completed on Friday, November 18. Overall project work is scheduled to be completed in late November 2011, weather permitting.

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