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$1 million project to repair bridge near Larned, limit traffic

A five-month bridge repair project will soon limit traffic on a K-19 bridge near Larned.

Work on the K-19 bridge over the Arkansas River just south of Larned is tentatively expected to begin on Monday, March 9.

During the project, traffic will be limited to one lane, controlled by traffic signals. Drivers should expect to slow down for the work zone.

Nearby Sandpit Road will be closed throughout the construction.

The work, which will include deck patching and overlay, is expected to be completed around Aug. 8, weather permitting.

The Kansas Department of Transportation is overseeing the project. PCI Roads LLC, which has an office in Topeka, is the primary contractor for the $1,035,133 project.

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