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## TRAFFIC ALERT

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## I-35 & I-435 Interchange Yellow Project

**EXPECT DELAYS!** Southbound I-35 from I-435 to 119th Street will be restricted to **TWO OPEN LANES** for pavement marking work on **Thursday, December 13 between 7:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m.** Then between **8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.**, southbound I-35 from I-435 to 119th Street will then be restricted to **ONE OPEN LANE**. At **2:00 p.m.**, this same stretch of southbound I-35 will be reopened to **TWO LANES** of traffic and by **3:30 p.m.** striping operations are scheduled to be completed and all lanes of southbound I-35 from I-435 to 119th Street will reopen to unrestricted traffic.

## <u>Thursday, December 16 Lane Closures (as noted above):</u>

7:30 a.m.-8:00 a.m. SB I-35 from I-435 to 119th Street reduced to TWO OPEN lanes. 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. SB I-35 from I-435 to 119th Street reduced to ONE OPEN lane. 2:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m. SBI-35 from I-435 to 119th Street reduced to TWO OPEN lanes. 3:30 p.m. All lanes of SB I-35 from I-435 to 119th Street reopened to unrestricted traffic.

<u>NOTE:</u> Drivers should expect major delays and should use alternate routes if at all possible. We recommend that drivers use <u>southbound US-69</u> (instead of southbound I-35) during tomorrow's posted lane closures on southbound I-35. Advance message boards will alert drivers to the lane closures.

Project work is scheduled to be completed on **Thursday**, **December 13**, **weather permitting**.

Updated daily traffic information for this project can be viewed online at: www.ksdot.org/kcmetro/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.

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