An Update on KC Metro Highway Projects  Week of Feb. 22, 2021
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JOHNSON COUNTY

KDOT maintenance:

➢ For pothole patching, **mobile lane closures, northbound and southbound U.S. 69, I-435 to the county line**, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mon. March 1. NEW

➢ For pothole patching, **mobile lane closures, northbound and southbound I-435, Midland Drive to the Kansas River**, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mon. March 1 & Tues. March 2. NEW

➢ For pothole patching, **intermittent alternating double left and double right mobile lane closures, northbound and southbound I-35, from the Missouri state line to I-435**, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mon. March 1. NEW

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

1. **NEW** - Bridge demolition of the existing 199th St. bridge over I-35 – SCHEDULED ****

Northbound and southbound I-35 will be shut down and traffic detoured from 5 a.m. Sat., Feb. 27 to 5 a.m. Sun. Feb. 28.

Detour route:

- Southbound I-35 onto Exit 210/U.S. 56, then back to I-35 at Wellsville.
- Northbound I-35 onto Exit 198/K-33, then to U.S. 56 back to I-35 at Gardner.
- I-35 will be accessible at the exits within the closed section of I-35, but only away from the bridge demolition at 199th St. (see map below)
2. **K-7 at Old US 56, City of Olathe project – reconfiguring the intersection at Lone Elm/Old US 56.**
   
   **Old US 56 closed, March 1 to June 1.**
   
   To access the project website, which includes a video of how the intersection will operate following completion click [here](#).

   Old 56 will be closed on both the east and west sides of Lone Elm/Parker. Traffic will still be able to drive north/south through the intersection, but all turning movements and east/west travel will be restricted during the closure. *(Detour map below)* **NEW (ONGOING)**
3. **199th St and Waverly Road - (ONGOING)**

The 199th Street overpass over I-35 between Homestead Lane and Gardner Road is closed for the replacement of the overpass bridge. Waverly Road access to 199th Street from 207th Street is also closed. This project is expected to be completed by October 2021.

**WYANDOTTE COUNTY**

KDOT maintenance:
➢ For guardrail maintenance, single right lane closure, southbound I-635 at Leavenworth Rd., 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mon. March 1. NEW

➢ For barrier wall repair, single left lane closure in both directions, eastbound and westbound I-70, Quarry Rd. to 57th St., 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Tues. March 2 and Wed. March 3. NEW

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

1. U.S. 169/7th St./Herman Dillon bridge replacement project. Northbound U.S. 169/7th St. to close Mon. March 15. NEW (ONGOING)
   ➢ Work will include truss and expansion joint repair on the Kansas River bridge, primarily on the northbound side.
   ➢ Work will occur during daytime hours, Monday to Friday, and completion is expected in mid-June 2021. Weekend and night work may take place to close the bridge and for placement of traffic control equipment and detour signs.
   ➢ Southbound lanes are tentatively scheduled to close in April 2021 for approximately 60 days. The previous detour route will be utilized.

2. Unified Government project – for roadway improvements, includes grading, surfacing and storm sewer work. Two lanes of traffic will be reduced to one 11 ft. wide lane of thru traffic using a flagging operation, Leavenworth Road/K-5 from 78th St. to 63rd St. Work will occur during daylight hours, Feb. 15 to Dec. 10. NEW (ONGOING)

JEFFERSON COUNTY
KDOT maintenance:
KDOT construction project affecting traffic:

**LEAVENWORTH COUNTY**
KDOT maintenance:
KDOT construction project affecting traffic:

For additional road condition details, check KDOT’s updated traveler information website, [www.Kandrive.org](http://www.Kandrive.org). KDOT urges all motorists to be alert and obey the warning signs when approaching and driving through a work zone. Drive safely and always wear your seat belt.

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