



An Update on Wichita's Highway Projects

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KDOT maintenance projects affecting traffic

- *On Wednesday, Thursday or Friday (weather dependent), the right lane of WB K-96 between Greenwich and Webb, could be closed 9 am until 3 pm, for pothole repairs. **NEW***
- *Pothole patching on U.S. 54 and I-235 is likely with lane closures, 9 am – 3 pm, but is weather dependent so specific days are not yet known. **NEW***

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic

1. Gold Project Phase 2A: North Junction – I-135, I-235, K-96 & K-254

Construction began on April 5, 2021. Three-year project that replaces the I-135 ramps to SB I-235/WB K-96. Project website at www.135Gold.com.

- *On Monday the 6th, 9 am until 3 pm, the NB I-235 Exit to NB I-135. **NEW***
- *On Dec. 7, the WB K-254 Exit to SB I-135 CLOSED to construct the lane extension for this ramp onto SB I-135. This is planned as a three-month closure and is weather dependent. WB K-254 traffic can continue onto SB I-235 to Broadway to NB I-235 to SB I-135. **Long-term RAMP CLOSURE***
- *A **13'9" height restriction** on SB I-135 under SB I-235 is in effect.*
- *An **11' width restriction** has been posted on WB K-254 to SB I-235.*

- A long-term **11' width restriction** on the two lanes of SB I-135, 53rd St. to south of the I-235/K-254, is in effect (along with a 50-mph work zone speed limit).

2. Gold Project Phase 2B: North Junction to I-135/K-96 Interchange **NEW PROJECT**

Construction is scheduled to begin Feb. 6 and impacts to traffic begin the week of Feb. 13.

- *On Monday the 13th, barrier wall will be installed on the Hydraulic Entrance Ramp to NB I-135. **NEW***
- *The week of Feb. 13, barrier wall will be installed on the WB K-96 Ramp to SB I-135. **NEW***
- *The week of Feb. 27, barrier wall will be installed on the 29th St. Entrance Ramp onto SB I-135. **Coming Soon***
- *In early March, a long-term closure of SB I-135 Exit Ramp to 29th St. **Coming Soon***
- *In late March, a long-term closure of the Hydraulic Exit to EB K-96. **Coming Soon***

3. Repair of the **WB U.S. 54 bridge at the K-251 junction** (far western Sedgwick County), began on May 2, 2022 and has been **suspended for the winter**. Bridge painting and permanent pavement markings will be completed in the spring.

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