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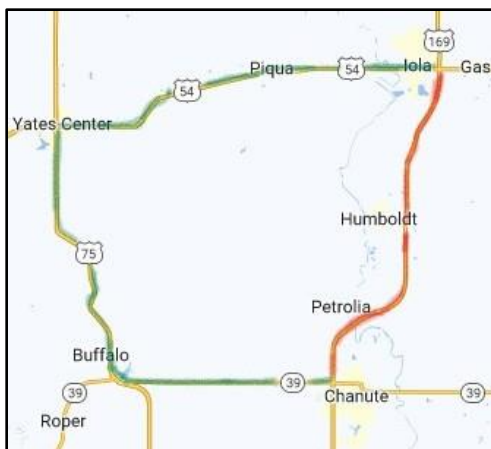
# U.S. 169 reconstruction continues between Chanute and Iola

Monday, Aug. 8, work on the current Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) project to reconstruct pavement on U.S. 169 will move to the section between Plummer Avenue in Neosho County and Delaware Road in Allen County.

U.S. 169 remains closed to through traffic from K-39 at Chanute north to U.S. 54 at Iola. The state route detour is signed on U.S. 54, U.S. 75, and K-39 (see map). Weather permitting, the highway should be open to traffic by mid-November 2022.

KDOT awarded the \$32.6 million construction contract for the 13-mile U.S. 169 project to Emery Sapp & Sons, Inc., of Kansas City, Mo. In 2021, reconstruction of U.S. 169 was completed between K-47 and K-39. Persons with questions may contact Geryd Erbele, (620) 577-7314, or Priscilla Petersen, (620) 902-6433. For updated information about U.S. 169 project and other KDOT projects, go to [www.kandrive.org](http://www.kandrive.org).

### Map:



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