Groundbreaking for U.S. 69 expansion in Bourbon County set for March 13

A groundbreaking ceremony to kick off the start of the U.S. 69 expansion in Bourbon County will take place at 9:00 a.m. Monday, March 13, at the Cherry Grove Baptist Church. The church is on the east side of the U.S. 69 and Cavalry Road intersection south of Fort Scott.

Secretary of Transportation Richard Carlson and other state and local officials will make remarks prior to the groundbreaking. The project, which will expand six miles of U.S. 69 to a four-lane upgradable expressway from south of Fort Scott to the Bourbon-Crawford county line, is part of the T-WORKS transportation program.

The event is open to the public.

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