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Work on K-64 bridge set to begin

Starting around Monday, September 17, the Kansas Department of Transportation will begin a bridge repair project on the K-64 highway bridge over the South Fork of the Ninnescah River, located southeast of Pratt. This bridge repair project is scheduled to be completed by October, depending on delays due to adverse weather conditions.

During construction the bridge will be completely closed to traffic, so drivers will need to use an alternate route. K-64 will still have access to US-54, US-281, and local roadways, but no through traffic can cross this bridge. Highway construction project locations and road condition information can be viewed at the http://511.ksdot.org website, or can also be accessed by telephone by dialing 511.

PBX Corporation from Sapulpa, Oklahoma is the prime contractor for this project, which is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature in May 2010. For more information about T-WORKS projects and funding visit the website, www.ksdot.org/tworks.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs, and “Give ‘Em a Brake!” when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. Persons with
questions about the road work or other KDOT projects can call South Central Kansas Public Affairs Manager, Martin Miller, at 620-663-3361 or 1-877-550-5368 (Toll free).

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