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WICHway – Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) on Wichita’s Highways

Phase 1 Project

- 28 CCTV cameras
- 21 dynamic message signs (DMS)
- 36 traffic sensors
- Traffic Management Center (TMC) co-located with Sedgwick County 911
- Website to share information with the public – www.WICHway.org
- Funding partners (design and construction) $8.8M total
  - City of Wichita $720,000
  - Sedgwick County $720,000
  - Federal Highway Administration $2M
  - Kansas Dept. of Transportation $5.4M
- Other partners include Wichita Area Metropolitan Planning Organization, Kansas Turnpike Authority, Kansas Highway Patrol
- $600,000 annual operating budget
- Highway coverage – 22 miles
  - U.S. 54/400 (Kellogg Freeway), Ridge Road to Woodlawn Avenue
    - 60,000 – 102,000 average daily vehicles
  - I-135, Harry Street to the North Junction (I-135/I-235/K-96/K-254)
    - 60,000 – 85,000 average daily vehicles
  - I-235/K-96/Meridian Interchange
    - 26,000 – 45,000 average daily vehicles

Website – www.WICHway.org

- Map with traffic speeds on highways in Phase 1 project
- Snapshots of camera views
- Snapshots of messages posted on roadside DMS (electronic) signs
- Camera tours on specific routes
- Scrolling messages about construction and maintenance operations
- Photo gallery
- Background information on the ITS project
- Contact information
- Link to KDOT 511 road conditions website
- Links to Wichita KDOT website, Twitter account and latest traffic alert
- Links to partner agencies