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Westbound I-70 Over Mill Creek Bridge Repair Project to Begin in Wabaunsee County

On **Monday, October 21**, weather permitting, a repair project will begin on the westbound I-70 bridge over Mill Creek located .37 miles east of the K-138 interchange in Wabaunsee County. Project work includes the repair of structural steel located underneath the bridge deck. Work will take place daily Monday through Friday during daylight hours.

Beginning on **Monday, October 21**, westbound I-70 will be reduced to one lane over the bridge throughout the project duration. Traffic will be directed via cones and signage over the bridge. There will be a 15-foot lane width restriction and a 65 mph speed limit posted through the project work zone throughout the project duration.

The Kansas Department of Transportation urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs, and “Give ‘Em a Brake!” when approaching and driving through the project work zone.

PCI Roads LLC (St. Michael, MN) is the primary contractor on this bridge repair project for a total contract cost of \$186,889. **The scheduled completion date for the bridge repair project is late October 2013, weather permitting.**

This project is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature in May 2010. Find out more about this and other T-WORKS projects at: <http://kdotapp.ksdot.org/TWorks/>.

For more information on this bridge repair project, please contact Kimberly Qualls, Northeast Kansas Public Affairs Manager, at (785) 640-9340, or Jerry Haug, Wamego Construction Engineer, at (785) 456-2353.

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