TRAFFIC ALERT

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For Tuesday-Friday, September 4-14, 2012 in Shawnee County

US-24 & K-4/Oakland Expressway Interchanges

Beginning on Tuesday, September 4 through Friday, September 14, all ramps and acceleration/deceleration lanes at the US-24 and K-4/Oakland Expressway east and west interchanges will be closed for pavement repair and resurfacing work. Work will take place Monday through Friday, during daylight hours (approximately 7:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.)

Advance message boards will alert traffic to the ramp lane and ramp closures. A marked detour will be provided. At least one of the ramps for northbound K-4 and southbound K-4 must remain open at all times. Drivers should expect major delays during peak travel times and must use alternate routes during the ramp closures. Updated traffic information for this resurfacing project can be viewed online at: www.ksdot.org/topekametro/laneclose.asp.

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.

This work is part of the resurfacing project on a 7.4-mile section of US-24 from approximately 800-feet west of the city limits of Silver Lake east to the Menoken Road Bridge just west of Topeka in Shawnee County. The resurfacing work on the 7.4-mile section of US-24 west of Topeka will be completed on Friday, August 31. (KDOT Project #24-89 KA 2435-10)

This part of the project work is scheduled to be completed by early evening Friday, September 14.

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