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US-24 Mud Creek Bridge Replacement Project Completed

Late in the day on **Thursday, February 17**, the US-24 over Mud Creek bridge replacement project in Douglas County was completed and the bridge was reopened to all traffic. In mid-December 2010, the bridge project completion date was rescheduled to spring 2011 as there were unanticipated delays on the project due to a variety of geotechnical and weather-related issues that occurred during the 2010 construction season. Construction on the bridge replacement project began in early April 2010.

Currently traffic signals on the bridge will continue to flash yellow through the weekend. The traffic signals will then be removed sometime next week.

Bryan Ohlmeier Construction Inc. was the primary contractor on this bridge replacement project with a total contract cost of \$1.5 million.

For questions or additional information on this bridge replacement project, please contact Kimberly Qualls, Northeast Kansas Public Affairs Manager, at (785) 640-9340, or Jim Wetterberg, Construction Manager, at (913) 721-2754.

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