TRAFFIC ALERT

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For Tuesday-Friday, September 11-14, 2012 in Johnson County

I-35 Bridge Repair Project

EXPECT DELAYS! 24/7 LANE CLOSURE: Southbound right lane from 37th Avenue to Southwest Boulevard (actual work will be on the bridge over Southwest Boulevard) will be closed for emergency bridge repair work beginning at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, September 11, and tentatively reopening to all traffic sometime on Friday, September 14 (as soon as repair work is completed).

While completing inspection work on the I-35 Bridge over Southwest Boulevard today, crews discovered some work that was needed under the bridge deck. KDOT has issued an emergency bridge repair project to complete the necessary repairs as soon as possible. The southbound right lane closure over the bridge that was in place for the inspection work today will be continued 24/7 round the clock until all repair work is completed.

Updated daily traffic information for this bridge repair project can be viewed online at: www.ksdot.org/kcmetro/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.

Project work is tentatively scheduled to be completed on Friday, September 14, weather permitting.

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