TRAFFIC ALERT – UPDATE!

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I-435 & U.S. 69 Interchange Red Project

EXPECT DELAYS! LANE/RAMP CLOSURES: All lanes of westbound I-435 at U.S. 69 will be CLOSED for the setting of bridge girders beginning at 10:00 p.m. on Friday, February 15 and will reopen to all traffic at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 16. Crews will be setting girders for the new ramp bridge collector-distributor system for the southbound U.S. 69 to College Boulevard exit (that will span over eastbound and westbound I-435).

In addition, the following lane and ramp closures will occur:

6:00 p.m. Friday, February 15 - 8:00 a.m. Saturday, February 16: Antioch Road to westbound I-435 ramp will be closed
9:00 p.m. Friday, February 15 - 8:00 a.m. Saturday, February 16: Southbound U.S. 69 to westbound I-435 left ramp lane will be closed; right ramp lane will remain open

Advance message boards will alert traffic to the lane and ramp closures. Marked detours will be provided. Westbound I-435 traffic will detour via northbound U.S. 69 to westbound 87th Street to southbound I-35 back to westbound I-435. Detour for Antioch Road to westbound I-435 ramp: Drivers will remain on westbound collector-distributor road to the U.S. 69 to westbound I-435 ramp (see map below). Drivers should expect delays and must use alternate routes during the ramp closures.
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.

To find out about more about the I-435 & U.S. 69 Interchange Area Improvement Red Project, visit the project website at: http://www.ksdot.org/kcMetro/projectstudytest.asp.

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

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