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## TRAFFIC ALERT – UPDATE!

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For **Saturday-Monday, September 15-17 & Friday-Monday, September 21-24 2012** in Leavenworth (Leavenworth County)

### K-92 Centennial Bridge

**EXPECT DELAYS!** Eastbound and westbound K-92 lanes over the Centennial Bridge in Leavenworth will be CLOSED to all traffic on both the Kansas and Missouri sides of the state line for bridge repair work beginning at 1:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 15 and will reopen to unrestricted traffic at 5:00 a.m. on Monday, September 17 and then again at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, September 21 and will reopen to unrestricted traffic at 5:00 a.m. on Monday, September 24. (In the case of inclement weather either weekend, the full bridge closure will be rescheduled for the following weekend.) This full closure of the bridge is needed for the jacking of the bridge to replace some structural members under the bridge.

**NOTE: The full closure of the Centennial Bridge was originally scheduled to close beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, September 14, but the start time for the full closure has now been shifted to 1:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 15.**

Advance message boards will alert traffic to the full bridge closure. A marked detour will be provided during the weekend closures. Traffic will detour via US-73/K-7 north to US-59 in Atchison then east on US-59 into Missouri to Missouri Route 45 south to Missouri Route 92 and vice versa for traffic on the Missouri side of the bridge closure. Updated daily traffic information for this bridge repair project can be viewed online at: [www.ksdot.org/kcmetro/laneclose.asp](http://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.

APAC-Kansas, Inc. is the primary contractor on this bridge repair project with a total contract cost of \$2.683 million. Project work is scheduled to be completed on **Monday, September 24, weather permitting.** (KDOT Project #92-52 KA-1507-01)

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