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An update on KC Metro highway projects

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JOHNSON COUNTY

KDOT short-term closures:

NB I-35, 167th St. to 151st St., December 3, NEW. Intermittent lane closures for pothole repair and pavement patching from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

NB U.S. 69 at Blue Valley Pkwy., December 3, NEW. Left lane closed for median side guardrail repair from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

NB U.S. 69/179th St. to 191st St., start date June 14, ONGOING. Bridge maintenance project; NB U.S. 69 will be reduced to one lane for bridge maintenance (short-term intersections closures at 162nd St. and 175th St.). Work will occur 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, with work on Saturday as needed. Project completion expected by early December.

WYANDOTTE COUNTY

KDOT short-term closures:

I-70/Fairfax Tfwy., December 6, NEW. Ramp closed (WB I-70 to Fairfax Tfwy. exit ramp) for bridge inspections from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

I-70/Fairfax Tfwy., December 7, NEW. Ramp closed (SB Fairfax Tfwy. to EB I-70 entrance ramp) for bridge inspections from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

1. **EB and WB I-70, 110th St. to I-435, start date August 23, ONGOING – UPDATED. Pavement improvement project;** lanes will be reduced, and ramps will be closed in areas where work is taking place. Work will occur Monday to Friday, with Saturdays as needed, from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. Project completion expected by early December.

2. **U.S. 169 (7th St.)/I-70, start date June 16, ONGOING – UPDATED. Bridge maintenance project;** WB I-70 to SB U.S. 169 (7th St.) exit ramp has reponed and U.S. 169 (7th St.) lane closures

have ended. Underneath bridge, work is still active from 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, and Saturdays as needed. Project completion expected by early December.

3. **Unified Government project. Leavenworth Rd./K-5 from 78th St. to 63rd St., start date February 15, ONGOING. Roadway improvement project;** roadway reduced to one 11 ft. wide lane of thru traffic using flagging operation. Improvements include grading, surfacing and storm sewer work. Work will occur during daylight hours; project completion expected by mid-December.

LEAVENWORTH COUNTY

KDOT construction project affecting traffic:

K-32 and 222nd St., west of Linwood, start date April 5, ONGOING – UPDATED. Intersection improvement project; work includes grading and asphalt surfacing for new lanes. **Traffic will be carried through existing lanes for duration of project, using flagging and pilot car operation.** Drivers should expect delays of up to 15 minutes and may want to find an alternative route. Work will occur 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday and Saturdays, as needed. Project completion expected by early December.

MULTI-COUNTY

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

Jefferson Co.: U.S. 59 approximately 3 miles north of U.S. 24; Johnson Co.: I-435 at Johnson Dr.; Leavenworth Co.: K-32 at Hemphill Rd.; Wyandotte Co.; K-5 near 18th St., I-435 north of Woodend Rd., I-435 at Wolcott Dr., start date August 9, ONGOING – UPDATED. Stormwater pipe repair project; lane and ramp closures as project progresses; work will take place during daylight hours. Work on I-435 in Wyandotte Co. and U.S. 59 in Jefferson Co. will be in the right-of-way and off the pavement; shoulder closures may be used in these locations. **Please see "Short-Term Closures" for applicable daily closure info.** Project completion expected by early December.

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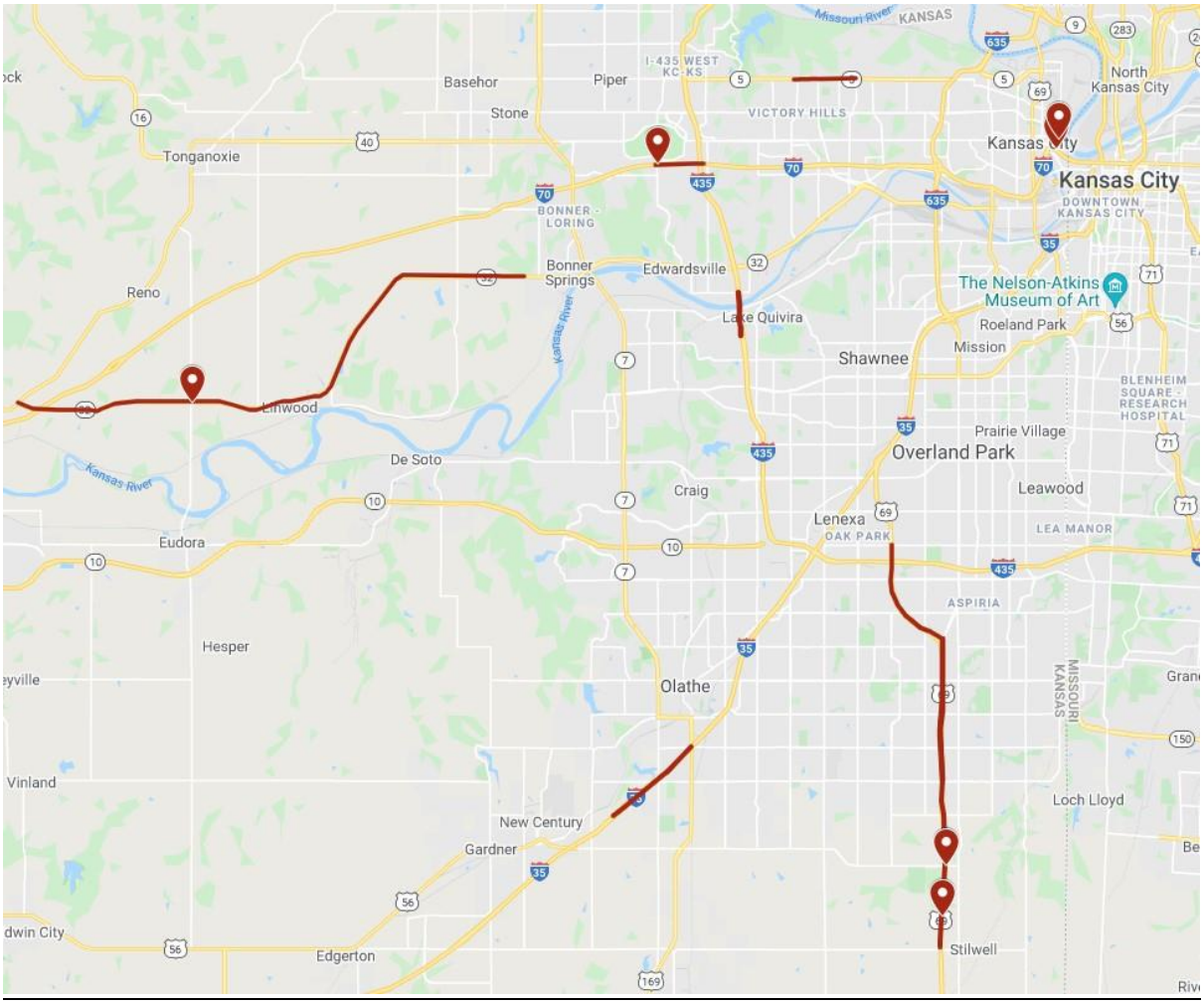
CURRENT KC METRO HIGHWAY KDOT PROJECT MAP



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