

## An update on KC Metro highway projects

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### JOHNSON COUNTY

KDOT maintenance projects:

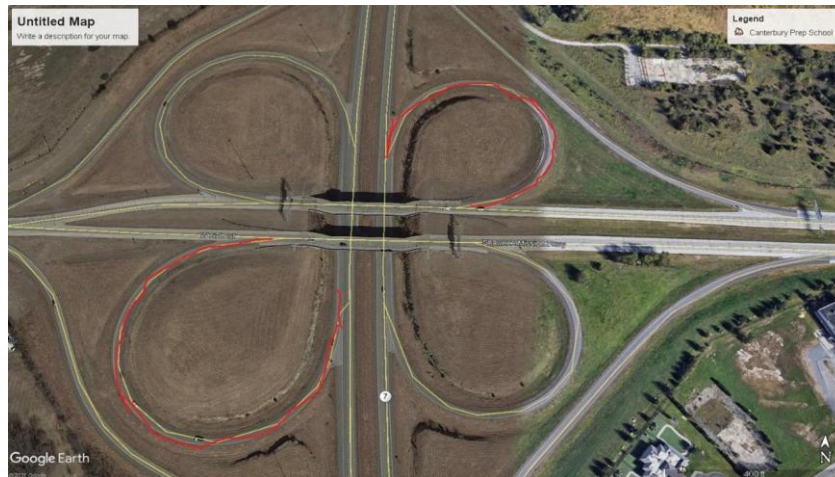
**NB and SB U.S. 69 from Blue Valley Pkwy. to Miami/Johnson Co. line, May 13-June 18, CLOSURES CANCELLED for rest of week, will resume June 1 (ONGOING - UPDATED).**

Traffic will be reduced to one lane for asphalt overlay and rumble strip installation from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday - Saturday. Expect short-term ramp closures as work progresses throughout the day.

KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

- 1. City of Shawnee project. NB and SB K-7 at 43<sup>rd</sup> St., start date April 29 (ONGOING).** This section of K-7 will be reduced to one lane for reconstruction of the intersection. Project completion expected by mid-August.
- 2. K-10 at Lexington Ave. bridge reconstruction. EB and WB K-10 near Lexington Ave. and EB K-10 ramp, start date May 24 (ONGOING- UPDATED).** A crossover, or temporary asphalt road, will be constructed in the median to redirect traffic onto WB K-10. Once traffic is redirected, the EB K-10 bridge deck installation will begin. **EB and WB K-10, near Lexington Ave., will be reduced to one lane of traffic in each direction, and EB K-10 on-ramp from Lexington Ave. will be closed.** Work will occur Monday through Friday during daylight hours, with work on Saturday as needed. Project completion expected by late November.
- 3. Bridge deck repair at 67th St./Shawnee Mission Pkwy. over K-7, start date April 12 (ONGOING).** Project includes concrete patching, overlay and expansion joints. **Please be aware that SB K-7 to EB 67<sup>th</sup> St. ramp and NB K-7 to WB 67<sup>th</sup> St. ramp will be closed for duration of project.** All other ramps will remain open. Work will occur 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.,

Monday to Friday and Saturdays as needed. Project completion expected by mid-September. See map below:



4. **K-7 at Old U.S. 56, City of Olathe project –reconfiguring intersection at Lone Elm/Old U.S. 56., start date March 1 (ONGOING). Old 56 will be closed on both east and west sides of Lone Elm/Parker.** Traffic will still be able to drive north/south through intersection, but all turning movements and east/west travel will be restricted during closure. Project completion expected by June 1.
5. **199<sup>th</sup> St. overpass and Waverly Rd., NB and SB I-35 (ONGOING - UPDATED).** 199<sup>th</sup> St. over I-35 closed between Homestead Ln. and Gardner Rd. for replacement of overpass bridge. Waverly Rd. access to 199<sup>th</sup> St. from 207<sup>th</sup> St. also closed. **I-35 will have intermittent daily lane closures.** Project completion expected by October.
6. **U.S. 56 (Shawnee Mission Pkwy.) – (ONGOING) EB will have right lane closed from 55<sup>th</sup> St. to Falmouth Rd.** from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily for sidewalk reconstruction. Project completion expected by June 4.
7. **U.S. 56 pavement repair project, Moonlight Rd. to I-35,** start date May 8, (revised work times and closures) **(ONGOING).** Work will include concrete pavement patching and asphalt overlay. EB and WB traffic will be reduced to one lane during hours of work. All lanes of traffic will be open when work is not being performed. Work will occur 7 p.m. to 6 a.m., Wednesday to Friday, and 7 p.m. Saturday to 6 a.m. Monday. **The off-ramp from SB New Century Pkwy. to WB U.S. 56 will also be closed; traffic will be able to access U.S. 56 using Industrial Bypass.** The off-ramp will be closed from 7 p.m. Wednesday to 6 a.m. Thursday. Project completion expected by mid-July.

## WYANDOTTE COUNTY

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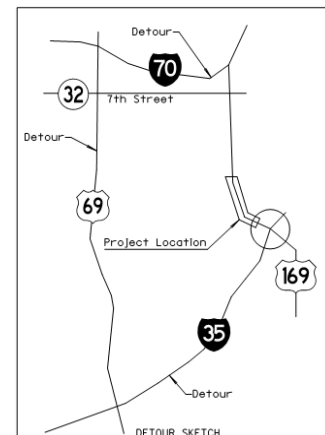
KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:

1. **K-7 from Kansas River to Elizabeth Ave., start date May 28, NEW.** K-7 will have single lane closures during daylight hours for mill and overlay project, beginning June 1. Ramps will be closed as necessary to allow for paving operations, including asphalt pavement patching, placing treatment on shoulders, and pavement markings. Work will occur during daylight hours Monday to Friday, and Saturdays, as needed. Project will continue through end of July.

**TRAFFIC ADVISORY:** This mill and overlay project is adjacent to a City of Shawnee ongoing intersection reconstruction project at K-7 and 43<sup>rd</sup> Street. Traffic delays are expected and drivers are encouraged to find alternate routes.

2. **I-35/119<sup>th</sup> St. bridge, start date June 1, NEW.** 119<sup>th</sup> St. bridge will be closed beginning June 1. During bridge demolition and reconstruction, I-35 will have daily lane closures. Right turns onto 119<sup>th</sup> St. from I-35 and right turns onto I-35 from 119<sup>th</sup> St. will be allowed. Please see “Construction Activity: Short-Term Closures” for daily I-35 closure information. Demolition is expected to be performed during nights/mornings weekend of June 4-6. I-35 will be reduced to one lane in each direction during the bridge demolition. Project completion expected by September.

3. **U.S. 169/7<sup>th</sup> St./Herman Dillon bridge replacement project. NB/SB U.S. 169/7<sup>th</sup> St. closed over Kansas River, start date April 12 (ONGOING).** Work will include truss and expansion joint repair on the Kansas River bridge, primarily on the northbound side. Work will occur during daytime hours, Monday to Friday, and completion expected in mid-June. Weekend and night work may take place to close the bridge and for placement of traffic control equipment and detour signs (see map).

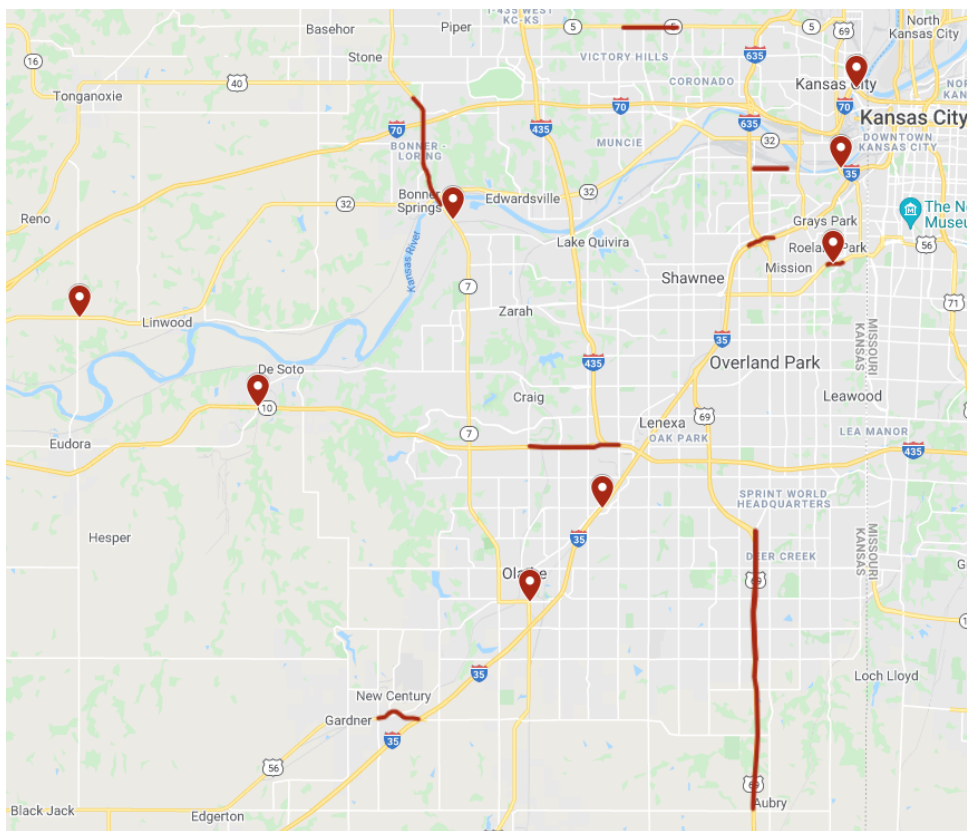


4. **Unified Government project, Leavenworth Rd./K-5 from 78<sup>th</sup> St. to 63<sup>rd</sup> St., start date February 15 (ONGOING).** Two lanes of traffic reduced to one 11 ft. wide lane of thru traffic using a flagging operation. Roadway improvements include grading, surfacing and storm sewer work. Work will occur during daylight hours; project completion expected by December 10.
5. **Bike/pedestrian path project (ONGOING).** Strong Ave. from 42<sup>nd</sup> St. to 24<sup>th</sup> St., along 24<sup>th</sup> from Strong Ave. to Metropolitan Ave. and along Metropolitan Ave. from 24<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> St. Curb and sidewalk construction will begin on south side of Strong Ave. between 36<sup>th</sup> St. and 25<sup>th</sup> St., where on-street parking will not be allowed, sidewalk closed, and pedestrians detoured to north side of road. Once south side is complete, construction will begin on north side of Strong Ave. Parking will not be allowed in areas designated as no parking. Work will occur 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday to Friday and Saturdays as necessary; project completion expected by end of May.

6. **Intersection improvements at K-32 and 222nd St., west of Linwood, start date April 5 (ONGOING).** Improvements include grading and asphalt surfacing for new lanes. **Traffic will be carried through existing lanes for duration of project, using flagging and pilot car operation.** Signage and traffic cones will also be used. 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 end of June.

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