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Bridge repairs to begin in Kingman, Barber counties

Four state bridge repair projects will start soon on highways in Kingman and Barber counties.

One of the projects in Kingman County will be on two K-42 bridges: one just east of Southwest 50th Avenue and west of the town of Spivey, the other just west of Spivey.

The other project in Kingman County will be on the U.S. 54/400 bridge over the South Fork of the Ninnescah River, about 11.5 miles east of the Pratt County line, between Southwest 70th and Southwest 80th avenues.

The repair in Barber County will be on the U.S. 160 bridge at Medicine Lodge about three-quarters of a mile east of the east junction of U.S. 160/U.S. 281.

The Kansas Department of Transportation is overseeing the projects.

The work on the K-42 bridge just east of Southwest 50th Avenue is expected to start around April 15 and be completed around April 17. Work on the K-42 bridge just west of Spivey is expected to start around April 18 and be completed around April 19. During the work, traffic will be controlled by flaggers, and motorists should be prepared to stop and face minimal delay.

The work on the U.S. 54/400 bridge in Kingman County is expected to start around April 22 and be completed around April 26. During the work, traffic will be shifted to another lane.

The work on the U.S. 160 bridge in Barber County is expected to start around April 29 and be completed around mid-August. Traffic will be controlled by traffic signals, and motorists should be prepared to stop and face a delay of up to 15 minutes.

The maps below show the approximate project locations, marked in red.

PBX Corp., of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, is the primary contractor for the \$76,436 project on U.S. 54/400 in Kingman County, the \$83,179 project on K-42 in Kingman County and the \$613,128 project on U.S. 160 in Barber County.

For updated information on these and other KDOT highway projects and road conditions across the state, go to www.kandrive.gov.





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