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K-14/96 traffic being shifted near Yaggy Road bridge in Reno County

Traffic on K-14/K-96 west of the bridge over North Yaggy Road will be shifted slightly to temporary lanes on Tuesday, Jan. 10.

The location is in Reno County, south of 50th Avenue and west of the Willowbrook neighborhood.

Motorists will be directed to drive at a reduced speed of 30 mph through the work zone.

The temporary lanes and reduced speed limit will be used until the K-14 realignment project is completed in June.

Background: The Kansas Department of Transportation realignment project started in the spring of 2021. This a 15-mile, \$81.7 million realignment of K-14. The work stretches from Hutchinson, to Nickerson, to Sterling. The project is expected to be completed by June 16. Bob Bergkamp Construction Co. Inc., of Wichita, is the primary contractor.

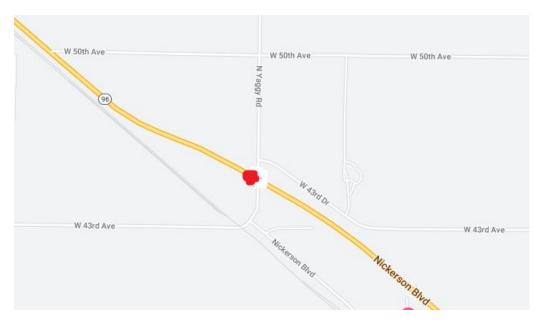
During the work, traffic will continue to use the existing K-14/96 alignment in Reno and Rice counties.

The Reno County portion of the realignment will be from about 4.5 miles southeast of Nickerson northwest to the Reno/Rice county line. The length is a little over 7 miles.

The Rice County portion of the realignment will be from the Reno/Rice county line to just north of the K-96/Avenue T junction. The length is about 8 miles.

The map below shows the approximate location, marked in red, of the traffic shift near the Yaggy Road bridge.

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