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### U.S. 81 culvert being replaced in Sumner County

Workers will soon begin replacing a culvert on U.S. 81 between Caldwell and South Haven, in Sumner County.

The project will replace a culvert on U.S. 81 about 7 miles east of K-49 that provides drainage for the Chikaskia River. The work will include grading and surfacing.

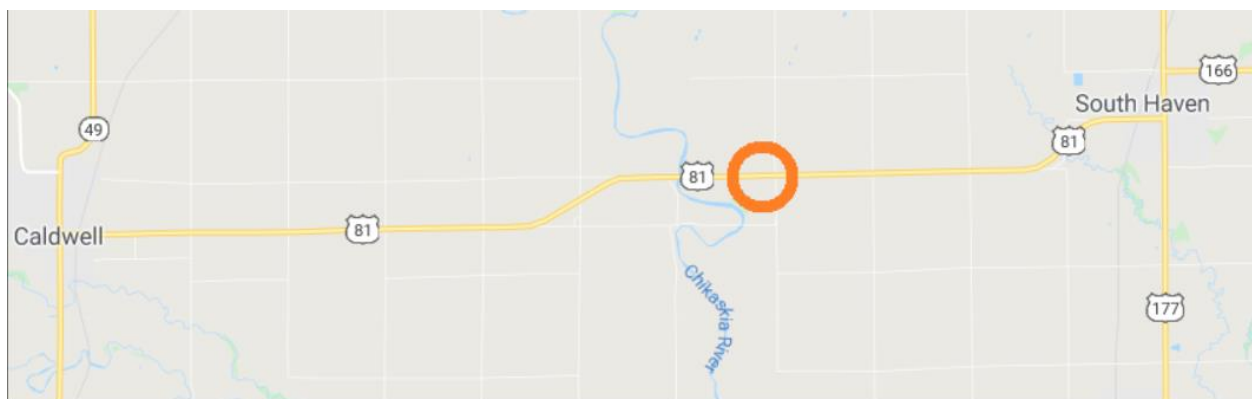
The project is expected to begin Monday, May 18. Depending on the weather, it is expected to be completed around mid-October.

During the work, motorists will be directed by traffic-control signs and should expect to slow down at the construction site. At times, traffic will be diverted onto temporary pavement.

The Kansas Department of Transportation is overseeing the project.

Klaver Construction Co. Inc., of Wichita, is the primary contractor for the \$897,699 project.

Please see map below:



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