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K-33 bridge replacement project starts this month

Monday, May 10, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) expects to start a project to replace the K-33 overpass over the BNSF Railway at Wellsville. The bridge is one mile north of I-35.

The new bridge will be built on an offset alignment east of the current structure. Traffic will be carried through the work zone during construction. KDOT awarded the construction contract of \$4.8 million to Pyramid Contractors Incorporated of Olathe. Weather permitting, the project should be finished by September 2022.

Check KDOT's updated traveler information website, <u>www.Kandrive.org</u>, for more road condition and construction details. KDOT urges all motorists to be alert and obey the warning signs when approaching and driving through a work zone. Persons with questions about this and other KDOT projects may call Area Engineer Donna Schmit at (785) 433-6107 or Public Affairs Manager Priscilla Petersen at (620) 902-6433.



K-33 bridge replacement, Wellsville

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