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## **K-99 Bridge Over the Kansas Turnpike **NOW OPEN** in Lyon County**

**At approximately 8:00 a.m. this morning, Monday, June 13, the repair work on the K-99 Bridge over the Kansas Turnpike between County Roads 280 and 290 in Lyon County was completed and K-99 was reopened to all traffic. The bridge project was scheduled to be completed and K-99 reopened to all traffic tomorrow, Tuesday, June 14.**

On Monday, October 25, 2011, a deck replacement project began on the K-99 Bridge spanning the Kansas Turnpike. While repair work was completed on the bridge deck, K-99 was closed to all traffic from the K-170 junction south to the US-56 intersection in Lyon County. A 36-mile marked detour was provided on state routes. Traffic detoured east on K-170 to Osage City, north on K-31 to US-56, and west on US-56 to the K-99 intersection.

King Construction Inc. (Hesston, KS) was the primary contractor on this bridge repair project with a total contract cost of \$678,031. For questions or additional information on this bridge repair project, please contact Kimberly Qualls, Northeast Kansas Public Affairs Manager, at (785) 640-9340 or Earl Bosak, Osage City Area Engineer, at (785) 528-3128. .

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