

TRAFFIC ALERT

Kansas Department of Transportation Traffic Alert

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For Thursday, October 7-Early November 2010 – Topeka/Shawnee County

Adams Street/Branner Trafficway at I-70

Weather permitting, beginning at **7:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 7**, Southeast Adams Street/Branner Trafficway will be closed between the entrance and exit ramps under the I-70 overpass bridge round the clock 24/7 for pavement repair work. These lane closures are part of the City of Topeka's Adams Street/Branner Trafficway resurfacing project currently underway.

All ramps at the I-70 and Adams Street/Branner Trafficway interchange will remain open, though drivers exiting or entering onto the eastbound and westbound I-70 ramps will have turn restrictions. A marked detour will be provided on local streets using 10th Street, Kansas Avenue, and 17th Street during the roadway closure.

Traffic wishing to access eastbound I-70 must approach the interchange ramps from the south, 15th Street direction; and traffic wishing to access westbound I-70 ramps must approach from the north, 10th Street direction. Westbound I-70 traffic exiting onto Adams Street must turn north toward 10th St. Eastbound I-70 traffic exiting onto Adams must turn south toward 15th Street.

Advanced signage on the I-70 ramps will alert drivers to the roadway closure. Drivers should expect minor delays and must use alternate routes during the roadway closure.

Project work is scheduled to be completed by early November 2010, weather permitting.

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