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I-70/I-470 ramp to temporarily close on Saturday

An I-70 ramp in west Topeka is scheduled to temporarily close this weekend, as part of the Kansas Department of Transportation's ongoing resurfacing project on I-470.

Conditions permitting, **the westbound I-70 ramp to eastbound I-470 will be closed on Saturday, Aug. 17, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., or until work is complete.**

A marked detour will not be in place due to the closure duration. Drivers will need to use alternate routes, such as Wanamaker Road or Auburn Road.

Message boards and signage will be in place.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert and obey the warning signs when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. To stay aware of highway construction projects across Kansas, go to www.KanDrive.gov or call 5-1-1.

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