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New, lower speed limits at South Hutchinson interchange

The Kansas Department of Transportation has installed signs with new, lower speed limits around the K-14/K-96 interchange at South Hutchinson.

Last week, KDOT installed new speed limit signs north and south of the interchange: lowering the speed limit from 45 mph to 40 mph and extending the 40 mph speed limit zone further south, including in some places where there had been a 55 mph speed limit. The changes are basically from Forest Avenue, on the north, to Heartland Drive, on the south.

In February 2020, the South Hutchinson chief of police requested that KDOT lower the speed limit at the interchange to 40 mph because of accidents there. A KDOT traffic study following that request recommended lowering the speed limit.

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