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## **K-177 to be closed temporarily for railroad bridge installation**

Beginning today, Tuesday, Jan. 18, the Kansas Department of Transportation will temporarily close a portion of K-177 in Chase County to allow for beam installation on the new Santa Fe Railroad bridge. The new Railroad bridge is located 3.4 miles south of Matfield Green, or six miles north of the KTA junction.

K-177 through traffic will be detoured via U.S. 50 and U.S. 77 from Strong City to Cassoday. The roadway is scheduled to be reopened by 7:00 p.m., weather permitting.

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 all road construction projects across Kansas, go to [www.kandrive.org](http://www.kandrive.org) or call 5-1-1.

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