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A 'before' look at the deteriorating pavement on the EB K-10 Bridge over Sunflower Road.

Eastbound K-10 over Sunflower Road Bridge Repair Project in Johnson County

On **Monday, June 6**, a repair project will begin on the eastbound K-10 Bridge over Sunflower Road (Johnson County). Project work includes removal of existing bridge pavement, partial and full-depth concrete patching, followed by a new concrete overlay and all new pavement markings. Work will take place daily, Monday through Saturday, during daylight hours.

On **Monday, June 6**, weather permitting, crews will begin setting traffic control and later that same day eastbound K-10 right lane over the Sunflower Road Bridge and on either side of the bridge will be closed, 24/7 round the clock, for repair work. Once repair work on the right lane is completed, then the left lane will be closed for repair work.

Traffic will be directed through the project work zone via concrete safety barrier, signage and arrow boards. There will be an 11-foot lane width restriction and a 60 mph posted speed limit through the project work zone throughout the project duration.

Advance message boards will alert traffic to the lane closure. Drivers should expect delays, especially during peak morning and evening rush hours, and are encouraged to allow extra time for their daily commutes.

Updated traffic information for this bridge repair project and for the entire Kansas City Metro Area can be viewed online: www.ksdot.org/kcmetro/laneclose.asp.

The Kansas Department of Transportation urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs, and "Give 'Em a Brake!" when approaching and driving through the project work zone.

PCI Roads (St. Michael, MN) is the primary contractor on this bridge repair project with a total contract cost of \$248,764. **The scheduled completion date for the project is November 2016, weather permitting.**

This project is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature in May 2010. Find out more about this and other T-WORKS projects at: <http://kdotapp.ksdot.org/TWorks/>.

For more information on this bridge repair project, please contact Kimberly Qualls, Northeast Kansas Public Affairs Manager, at (785) 640-9340, or Dan Harper, Construction Manager, at (913) 764-4525. (KDOT Project #10-46 KA 4291-01)

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