

## An update on KC Metro highway projects

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## JOHNSON COUNTY

*KDOT short-term closures:*

**Lexington Ave. at K-10, March 16 – April 16, NEW - UPDATED.** Lexington Ave. reduced to one lane in each direction for bridge painting work from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, weather permitting.

### **K-7 at Prairie Star:**

**NB K-7, April 11 – April 12, NEW.** NB K-7 lanes closed as needed near work area and **ramp closed** (NB K-7 exit ramp to Prairie Star Pkwy.) for bridge repair work from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., weather permitting. NB K-7 traffic will detour to WB 83<sup>rd</sup> St. to SB K-7 to Prairie Star Pkwy.

**SB K-7, April 14 – April 15, NEW. Ramp closed** (SB K-7 exit ramp to Prairie Star Pkwy.) for bridge repair work from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., weather permitting. SB K-7 traffic will detour to EB K-10 to NB K-7 to Prairie Star Pkwy.

*KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:*

**Renner Rd. at I-435, start date March 18, NEW.** Bridge deck reconstruction project; improvements include bridge deck replacement, repainting bridge girders and enhancement of bridge lighting. **Please see “Short-Term Closures” for applicable daily closure info.** Renner Rd. at I-435 will be fully closed to traffic on March 17 and remain closed for the duration of the project. Work will occur Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturdays as necessary, with occasional overnight work from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. Project completion expected by late August.

**City of Gardner project. U.S. 56/E. Main St. to New Century Pkwy., start date March 1, NEW - UPDATED.** Pavement reconstruction project; improvements include roadway, driveway and sidewalk reconstruction, curb and gutter replacement, additional turning lane and updated traffic signal infrastructure. U.S. 56/E. Main St. will be reduced to one lane in each direction (with 11 ft. restriction) between Sycamore St. and east of Moonlight Rd. for the duration of the project. Access to some side

roads from E. Main St. will be restricted. Work will occur Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., with work on Saturday as needed. Project completion expected by early November.

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## **WYANDOTTE COUNTY**

*KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:*

**NB and SB I-635/K-5 interchange**, project resuming March 29, **NEW**. Bridge replacement project; single lane closures on I-635 and **ramps closed** (SB I-635 exit to SB K-5; NB K-5 to SB I-635). *Detours are marked*. Work will occur Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. **Please see “Short-Term Closures” for applicable daily closure info**. Project began in October 2021 and is resuming after a winter shutdown period; completion expected in December 2022.

**Unified Government project; 7<sup>th</sup> St. and Central Ave.**, start date March 1, **NEW**. Roadway and intersection improvement project; work will include new traffic signal at the intersection, widening of the curb radii to better accommodate truck traffic, new asphalt surfacing, storm sewer upgrades, reconstruction of curb and gutter and pedestrian ramps and new pavement markings and traffic signs. On-street parking will not be available along 7th St. during project. **Please see “Short-Term Closures” for applicable daily closure info**. Work will occur 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday to Friday, and Saturdays as necessary; project completion expected by late November.

**Stillwell Rd./K-32 to 178<sup>th</sup> St.**, start date February 2022, **ONGOING**. Roadway improvement project; work includes intersection realignment and turn-lane improvements. Roadway will be closed with signed detour. Work will occur during daylight hours; project completion expected by mid-July.

**Unified Government project; Leavenworth Rd./K-5 from 78<sup>th</sup> St. to 63<sup>rd</sup> St.**, start date February 2021, **ONGOING**. Roadway improvement project; roadway reduced to one 11 ft. wide lane of through traffic using flagging operation. Improvements include grading, surfacing and storm sewer work. Work will occur during daylight hours; project completion expected by mid-May.

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## **MULTI-COUNTY**

*KDOT construction projects affecting traffic:*

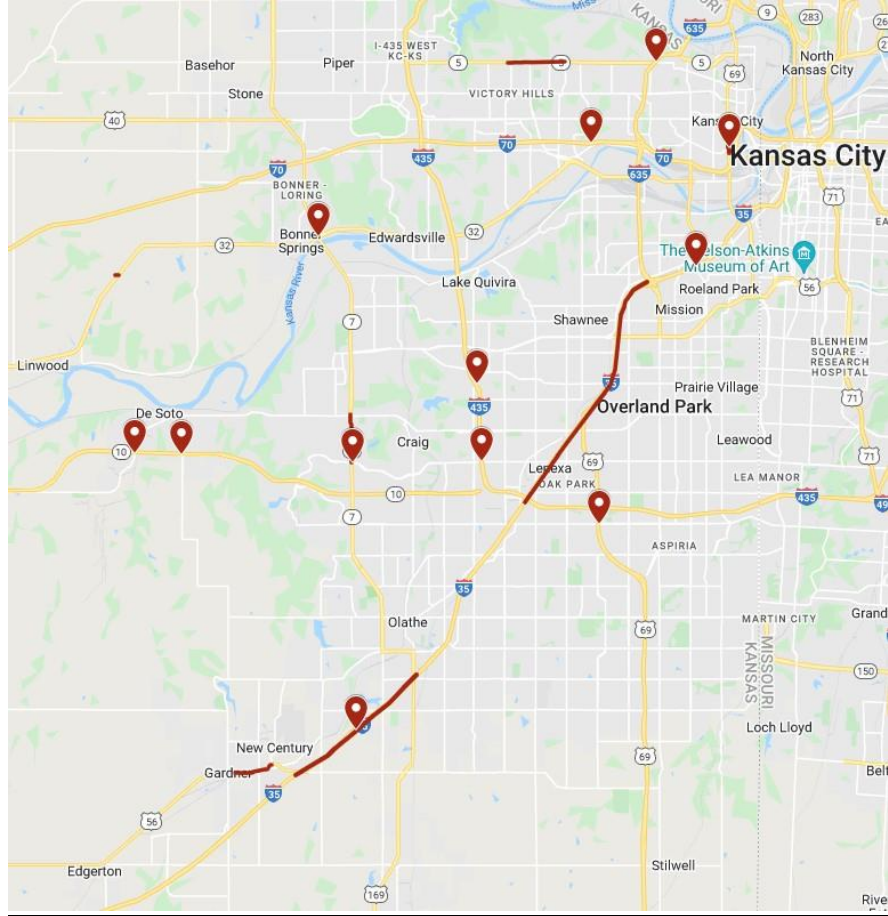
**Multiple locations in Johnson and Wyandotte counties; I-35 south of I-635, I-35 (exit 210) KDOT weigh station, I-35 from Roe Ave. to Southwest Blvd., I-35/U.S. 69 (18<sup>th</sup> St. Expy.) interchange, U.S. 69 at College Blvd., I-435 at West 95<sup>th</sup> St., I-70 at 57<sup>th</sup> St. and K-7 at K-32**, start date January 2022, **ONGOING**. Roadway lighting project; intermittent daily lane and shoulder closures in areas where high mast lights are being replaced. Work will occur during daylight hours; construction activities requiring lane closures will not be permitted between 5 a.m. and 9 a.m. or between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. **Please see “Short-Term Closures” for applicable daily closure info**. Project completion expected by mid-May.

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