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### **Update: K-2 bridge replacement, detour in Barber County delayed to Sept. 3**

Work on a K-2 bridge replacement project in Barber County has been delayed again. The updated work schedule has a start date of around Sept. 3 and a tentative completion date of around May 2, 2025.

The Kansas Department of Transportation project is over Little Mule Creek almost 2 miles east of U.S. 281.

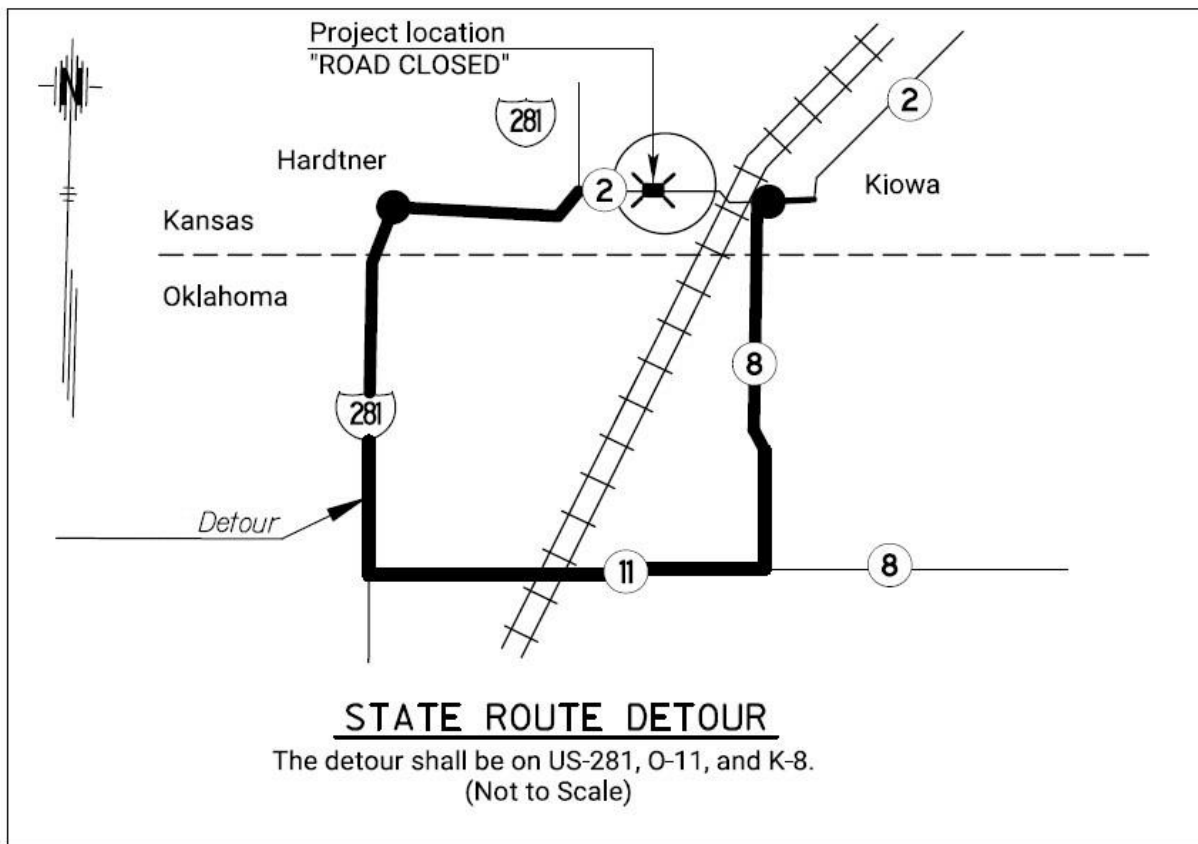
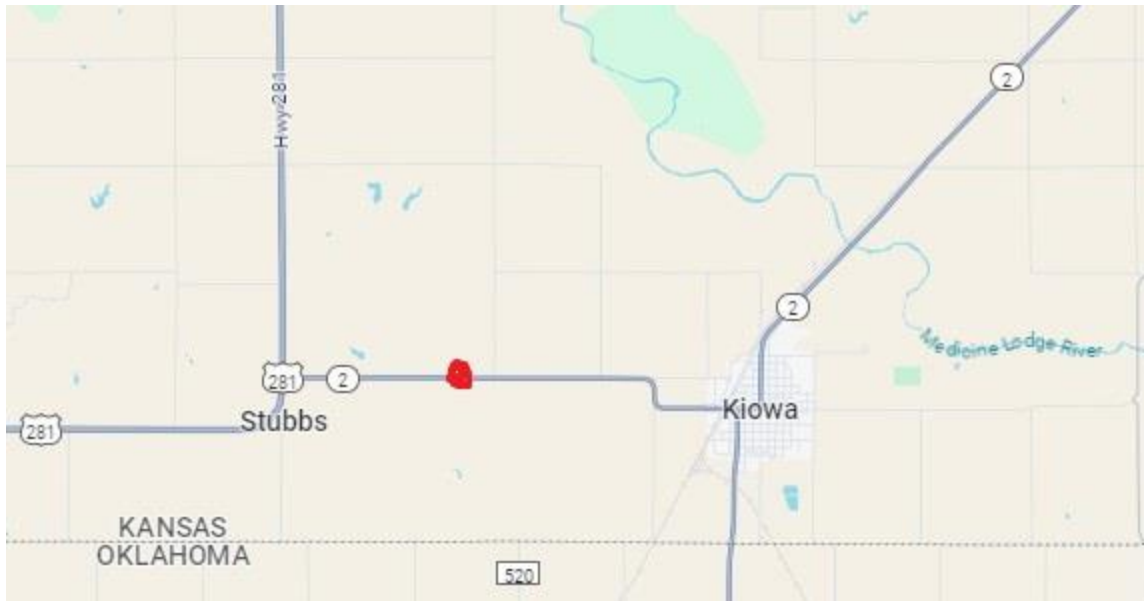
During the work, the bridge will be closed, and motorists will be directed to a detour using U.S. 281, O-11 (in Oklahoma), O-8 (in Oklahoma) and K-8.

KDOT uses state highways for official detour routes for safety, weight and maintenance concerns.

**The first map below shows the approximate project location, marked in red. The second map shows the detour route.**

King Construction Co. Inc., of Hesston, is the primary contractor for the \$2,721,900 project.

For updated information on this and other KDOT highway projects and road conditions across the state, go to [www.kandrive.gov](http://www.kandrive.gov).



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