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Northbound, southbound Eisenhower Airport Parkway/Ridge Road lane closures starting July 8

Northbound and southbound Eisenhower Airport Parkway in Wichita will have the center and left lanes closed for maintenance starting Monday, July 8, according to the Kansas Department of Transportation. The rehabilitation project will involve painting the bridge rail, replacing expansion joints and additional standard repairs.

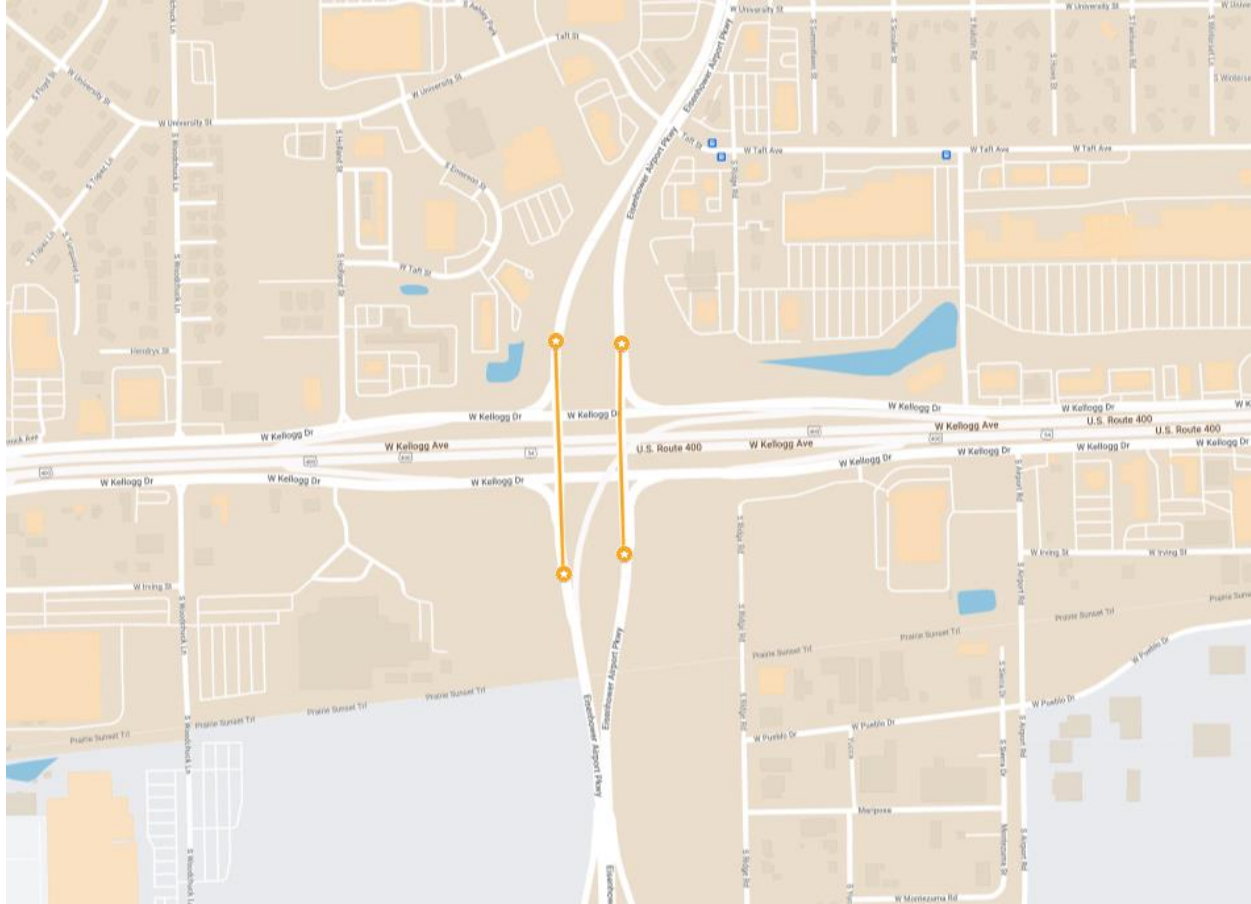
Work on these bridges is part of a three-phase bridge rehabilitation project scheduled for this year at the Eisenhower Airport Parkway/U.S. 54 interchange. The bridge work will take place consecutively. It is estimated that the last bridge in the three-phase project will be completed by early November, conditions permitting.

During construction, the speed limit will be reduced to 30 mph in the work zone. It is essential for drivers to remain vigilant and watch out for construction workers. Left turns will not be possible on northbound and southbound Eisenhower Airport Parkway while the left lane is undergoing maintenance.

The map below outlines the project area.

Wildcat Construction, of Wichita, is the primary contractor for the \$1,263,632 project.

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.gov or call 5-1-1.



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