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## Mudjacking project underway in Johnson and Wyandotte counties

A Kansas Department of Transportation multi-county mudjacking project began this week in Johnson County. Work on I-35 and I-435 in Johnson County is scheduled to be completed in October, when work will begin on I-70, I-435 and U.S. 69 in Wyandotte County.

Mudjacking improves road-to-bridge transitions by using polyurethane foam to raise and level concrete bridge approach slabs and highway and shoulder panels.

To minimize impacts to traffic, all Kansas City metro area work will be scheduled overnight. While work is taking place, traffic will be controlled using portable message signs, signage and traffic cones.

The project includes various locations, including Douglas and Shawnee counties. All project work is expected to be completed by the end of November, weather permitting.

Message boards are in place notifying motorists of project work. Uretek USA, of Tomball, Texas, is the contractor for the \$611,000 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](http://www.kandrive.gov) or call 5-1-1. Drive safely and always wear your seat belt.

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