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Work to begin March 8 on Arkansas River Bridges

WICHITA, Kan.— Construction to place a polymer overlay and provide expansion joint work to the Arkansas River Bridges, located at mile marker 44.325 on I-35/KTA, in south Wichita, is set to begin March 8, weather permitting.

Travelers should expect single lane traffic each direction of I-35/KTA between mile markers 44 and 45 speeds with speeds reduced to 65 mph. Work is scheduled to be completed in late May, weather permitting and will conclude the two-year project to widen the bridges.

Drivers are urged to check for traffic impacts at <http://www.kandrive.org>, subscribe to KTA Alerts for roadway incident information at <http://bit.ly/KHeX6g>, follow the Kansas Turnpike on Twitter, and watch for information on KTA's digital message boards. Construction updates on this and other projects are published monthly in KTA's electronic newsletter. Sign up here: <http://bit.ly/2l4h37y>

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About KTA:

For more than 60 years, the Kansas Turnpike Authority (KTA) maintains 236 miles of user-fee supported roadway from the Oklahoma border to Kansas City. KTA doesn't receive state or federal tax funds. Instead, toll revenue pays for preservation and modernization of the Turnpike system. With the [current long-term plan](#), KTA has outlined 44 projects to enhance safety and the customer experience over the next decade. KTA's mission is to provide safe, economical, high-quality transportation service to its customers.

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