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**FOR SECOND TIME, GREENWICH AT KELLOGG CLOSURES FOR BRIDGE WORK**  
**Closure allows for concrete placement on eastbound East Kellogg bridge**

WICHITA, KS – For the second time this month, Greenwich will close at Kellogg beginning **7 p.m. on Monday, March 25**, and continuing **through the evening on Tuesday, March 26, weather permitting**. The closure is necessary to allow safe placement of concrete on the new Kellogg bridge above the Greenwich intersection, this time for the eastbound lanes.

Traffic impacts include:

- Greenwich will be closed to through traffic under Kellogg with all traffic required to turn right at Kellogg;
- Eastbound Kellogg traffic will be reduced to one lane near Greenwich;
- The permanent eastbound to westbound U-Turn at Greenwich will be closed;
- Eastbound drivers wanting to go westbound on Kellogg, or access Webb and Greenwich north of Kellogg, will need to use the U-Turn at Zelta;
- Westbound drivers will need to do a U-Turn at Eastern or Rock Road in order to go south on Greenwich or Webb.

“We appreciate the patience of drivers on East Kellogg as decisions are made about fully closing local roads,” said Becky Tuttle, City of Wichita District 2 council member. “Safety is our primary concern, however, and sometimes full closures are necessary, particularly as work is done on overhead bridges. Closures also allow construction to move more quickly to get the work done. We will continue to do our best to let drivers know ahead of time as closures are necessary.”

Drivers are encouraged to use alternate routes if available and, if traveling in the construction area, to allow extra time.

The multi-year construction projects are a partnership between the City of Wichita, Kansas Department of Transportation and Kansas Turnpike Authority.

Construction on the first East Kellogg Improvement project started in August 2015 and includes a redesigned Kellogg and Webb intersection and widening of Kellogg from Webb to Greenwich. It is expected to be completed in 2019. A second project, started in 2016 and expected to be completed in 2021, continues widening Kellogg to a six-lane freeway between Greenwich and K-96. In addition, new ramps will be constructed for southbound I-35/KTA to westbound US-54 and eastbound US-54 to both northbound and southbound I-35/KTA.

Drivers are encouraged to plan ahead and stay informed to improve their travel during these changes and throughout the project. More information is available at [www.e54ict.com](http://www.e54ict.com) and via Twitter at @E54ict.