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Detours in effect for Georgia Road bridge

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) has designated detour routes on local roads for the Georgia Road bridge spanning U.S. 169 east of Humboldt. The bridge was damaged in a vehicle crash and has been closed to traffic.

The detour to the Humboldt Speedway for traffic exiting U.S. 169 at the interchange with Hawaii Rd. (old K-224): proceed west on Hawaii to 9th St. (old U.S. 169), south on 9th through Humboldt, west on Delaware Rd., south on 1250th St., again west on Delaware (Tank Farm Road), then north on 2200th St. to Georgia. Continue west on Georgia to the race track.

The detour route for westbound traffic to the grain elevator: proceed south on 2200th St., west on Delaware, north on 1250th St., again west on Delaware, north on 9th through Humboldt, east on Hawaii, and south on 1400th St. back to Georgia. Continue west to the elevator.

KDOT is planning to sign these detour routes in the near future. The detours will remain in effect until further notice. For more information contact Darrin Petrowsky, area engineer at the KDOT-Iola office, (620) 365-2161, or Priscilla Petersen at 1-877-550-5368.

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