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US-56/ US-77 Roundabout Work begins in Marion County

Work on the new Roundabout to be constructed at the US-56/US-77 intersection in Marion County begins between tomorrow, June 24th and Friday, June 26, 2015.

A short detour will be in effect to accommodate construction. Those wanting to go west on US-56 from the US-56/US-77 intersection will go south on US-77 to K-256 then west to join US-56 those coming from the west will use the same detour in reverse. The detour shall be in effect until Aug. 21st weather permitting.

The unique roundabout addresses the need to safely move traffic through the intersection and accommodate oversized loads passing through the state. In this case the Roundabout will have a diamond shaped group of restricted lanes that, when made available, will allow for the oversized loads to drive around the Round-About.

Cornejo & Sons Construction of Wichita, KS is the prime contractor on this project. Project cost is \$5,416,348.27.

Plans call for the project to be completed by mid-December, 2015.

Centered Roundabout



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