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## Media invited to work zone safety event

The need for safety in work zones will be highlighted at a National Work Zone Awareness Week event at the Kansas Department of Transportation's Oakland Subarea Office.

**Time: 10 a.m., Tuesday, April 16**

**Location: KDOT Oakland Office, 4219 SE U.S. 40 (just east of Croco Road)**

**Speakers: Albert Horn and Gary Moulin**, KDOT employees who have worked on the highways more than 25 years each; and **Kansas Highway Patrol Major Mark Goodloe**. **KDOT Secretary Mike King** will emcee.

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**Following the event, media will have the opportunity to visit a work zone on I-70 for an up-close opportunity to see what it's like – transportation and vests will be provided. Contact Kim Stich at the event if you're interested.**  
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National Work Zone Safety Awareness Week, April 15-19, brings to light the dangers associated with driving in road construction and maintenance zones. For more information, go to the Go Orange page on KDOT's website, [www.ksdot.org](http://www.ksdot.org).

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