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Overview of the Area



Needs Identified Prior to Job

- Deteriorating bridges
 - 4 bridges in the area



Needs Identified Prior to Job

- Left hand exits that back up
 - Stand still traffic during rush hour



Needs Identified Prior to Job

Short weave and merge areas



Job Specifics

- Contractor
- Contract Value
- Bridges
- MSE Walls
- Cut
- Fill
- Paving

- **Emery Sapp and Sons** \$47,557,220.93 11 Bridges 14 MSE Walls 790,000 CY 335,000 CY
- 82,000 SY Post Tensioned Straddle Bent
- Two asphalt jobs attached

New Configuration



New Bridges



What groups were affected by the project?

- Mid-America Regional Council
- Local Stakeholders
- Kansas City Chiefs/Royals
- Blue Valley
- Traveling Public

Mid-America Regional Council

- Heavily Involved in EIS process
- Funding of the job
- Adding project to TIP and STIP



Local Stakeholders

- Yellow Freight
- Amazon Distribution
- Spire
- Blue Valley Industrial District
- Many Small Companies
 - Mainly a discussion of traffic control plans during Design
 - Although planned, still a need to talk to groups during construction to know what to expect

Traveling Public

- I-70 Traffic
 - 108,543 Vehicles per Day
- I-435 Traffic
 - 100,155 Vehicles per Day
 - Traffic Advisories
 - Social Media
 - New Stories



Kansas City Chiefs



- Kansas City Chiefs
 - 80,000 Fans into parking lot in 5 hours
 - [•] 20,000 Cars

Kansas City Chiefs



Any questions or comments?