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Demolition of Bridge Over L-17F In Cheyenne County Has Been Rescheduled

May 19, 2017 (Sidney, Neb.) — Weather permitting, closure dates for the May demolition of the old bridge over L-17F to westbound I-80 south of Lodgepole have been changed from May 15 to May 24, according to the Nebraska Department of Roads.

According to current plans, L-17F will be closed to traffic overnight on May 24 from 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. on May 25. This is part of the I-80 reconstruction project from Exit 76, west of Lodgepole to west of Chappell in Cheyenne/Deuel counties westbound.

While these are the updated closure dates, it is possible the contractor may schedule demolition as early as May 22 from 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. on May 23. Except for this closure time, L-17F will be one-lane only, with signals on either end of the road, during construction on I-80 from May 1 through November 4, 2017.

Koss Construction, Inc., of Topeka, Kansas, has the \$39,652,960 project. The Department of Roads' project manager is Sayed Torak of Sidney. Motorists are urged to follow the detour route during the closure and to drive cautiously through construction zones.

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