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### Nebraska Department of Transportation Announces Opening of Highway 121 Bridge South of Yankton

December 19, 2019 (Norfolk, Neb.) — The Nebraska Department of Transportation (NDOT) announces the opening of the N-121 bridge south of Yankton, just west of US-81, on Friday, December 20, ahead of the scheduled December 31 completion date. The Gavins Point East project was the final contract to be awarded on a bridge reconstruction project in the State of Nebraska as a result of damage sustained from the March 2019 flooding event.

The NDOT partnered with contractor, Dixon Construction Co. of Correctionville, Iowa, who received the \$5,598,342 emergency contract for the project. This included \$1,607,162 to repair the existing bridge, with work beginning on August 12.

Bridge work is complete and an asphalt overlay will be done under traffic next spring. Motorists are advised to use caution while driving through construction zones and always wear a seat belt.

The NDOT thanks all involved for their partnership, effort and dedication on completing repairs in an expedited time period. We will continue to update the public as we complete projects in other areas of the state and resume normal traffic operations.

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