



GREELEY AVENUE BRIDGE

Project Number: 08-2709



Category: 2009 Capital Improvement Program

Project Description: This project includes the replacement of the 40 year old bridge on Greeley Avenue over the old Smoky Hill River channel. The replacement bridge will be a prefabricated arched structure, which varies from both a typical bridge and box culvert. This type of construction decreases construction time and saves money on the project. The surface of the bridge will strongly resemble the Lakewood Road Bridge, and the pedestrian railing will include an element of art to create more of an aesthetic appeal. A section of sidewalk from the eastside of the bridge to Ohio Street has been added to the project to improve public access to the Bicentennial Center, Kenwood Park, Oakdale Park, and the new Aquatic Park.

Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) is providing 80% of the cost (\$200,000), and the City of Salina will fund 20% of the expense (\$50,000.)

Designer: Olsson Associates, Manhattan

Contractor: Not yet selected

Construction Cost: \$250,000

Funding: Special Gas Tax \$50,000 / KDOT \$200,000

Start Date: January 2011

Estimated Completion Date: Spring 2011

Utility Status: Utility companies have relocated lines, although no formal review has yet been requested.

Project Status:

- 6/30/10: The status of this project has not yet changed.
- 12/14/09: The City Commission voted to fund the old Smoky Hill River channel study. The Greeley Bridge project will be on hold until the results of the study are completed in November 2010.
- 11/24/09: City staff agreed with KDOT that the letting for the original job scope would be postponed to December 2010 with an anticipated completion date of spring 2011. The issue regarding the old Smoky Hill River channel study will be heard by the City Commission on December 7, which may change the project scope (see below).
- 10/26/09: The City Commission may have a decision on the old Smoky Hill River channel by the middle of November.
- 9/1/09: Progress on the project has been halted pending the City's direction regarding the development of the old Smoky Hill River channel, which may require a different type of bridge with a larger opening beneath.
- 8/14/09: A preliminary art concept is in the process of being approved by the City Manager and City Commission.
- 6/25/09: The project is approximately 50% designed, and the City is identifying temporary construction easements at this time.

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Project Location

BOB FLAHERTY

HAZEL

GREELEY

KENWOOD PARK

INDIAN ROCK

RKSHIRE

BOB FLAHERTY

HAZEL

OHIO

Replace Bridge

GREELEY

Install New Sidewalk

KENWOOD PARK

