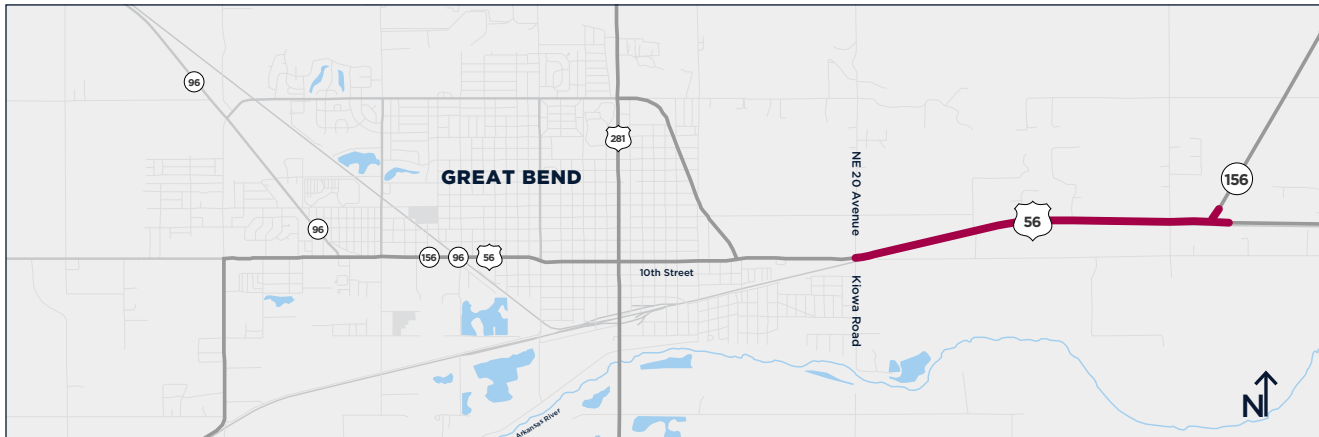




# U.S. 56 EXPANSION STUDY IN BARTON COUNTY EAST OF GREAT BEND TO THE K-156 INTERSECTION

July 2022



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Proposed project location

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) is completing a discovery phase study for proposed improvements to expand U.S. 56 to four lanes from the Great Bend east city limits to the K-156 intersection in Barton County. Improvements to the K-156 intersection are also being explored.

Local stakeholder engagement and a public meeting are scheduled to occur in late summer 2022.

This project was identified as a high regional priority during Local Consult in 2019 and selected for the IKE Development Pipeline in May of 2020.

Additional information will be made available on the project website as it becomes available:

[www.ksdotike.org/US-56-Expansion-Barton-County](http://www.ksdotike.org/US-56-Expansion-Barton-County)



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## PROJECT DETAILS

Scope	Study the addition of two lanes and reconstruction of existing lanes to provide a four-lane divided expressway; includes limiting highway access and other safety enhancements
Project Length	2.3 miles from Great Bend east city limits (Kiowa Rd) to K-156
Cost Estimate	Roughly \$18 million
Estimated Schedule	Project is currently in the discovery phase with public input occurring in late summer 2022

### ABOUT IKE



IKE—The Eisenhower Legacy Transportation Program—is a roughly \$10 billion investment in the future of Kansas. This program and the transportation improvements it will deliver play a key role in our state's economic recovery, putting Kansans to work and improving quality of life.

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