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Construction on South Brick Center Road begins in December

Improvements will include paving and widening busy roadway in rural Arapahoe County

Bennett, Colorado – Arapahoe County will begin construction in December on South Brick Center Road (also known as County Road 129) between East Quincy Avenue and East Mexico Avenue. This project will last approximately 18 months and will improve safety, drainage and the road surface along this highly travelled north-south corridor located west of Bennett.

During construction, traffic may be reduced to one lane and delays are possible. Short-term closure notices will be posted. Motorists are encouraged to use Kiowa-Bennett Road to the east as an alternate route.

The South Brick Center Road project will include widening and paving a 3.5 mile stretch of gravel roadway to accommodate increased traffic; adding shoulders; making vertical profile adjustments to improve safety; and making drainage improvements, including ditches and utility relocation. When complete, this stretch of roadway will feature two 14-foot travel lanes with two 6-foot shoulders, for a total paved width of 40 feet.

Construction will be completed in two phases. The first phase will be completed by a general contractor and is expected to be completed by August 2015. This phase will involve installing new drainage structures, major modifications to the road profile, and paving to a depth of five inches using recycled asphalt.

The second phase will be completed by the Arapahoe County Road and Bridge Division between Winter 2015 and Summer 2016. This phase will include additional paving with six inches of recycled asphalt and two inches of hot mix asphalt.

This project was identified as a priority in [Arapahoe County's 2035 Transportation Plan](#) and will be managed by the Public Works and Development Department.

Arapahoe County would like to thank motorists for their patience and understanding during this project, which will enhance safety and quality of life. Please send any questions, concerns or sign up for email updates by sending your name, address, and email address to brickcenter.road@gmail.com or by calling Public Works and Development at 720-874-6500. For more information, visit www.arapahoegov.com/ActiveRoadProjects.

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