



# Missouri River Flood of 2011

## Updates on Closed Roads in Missouri

Sept. 28, 2011

### **Interstate 29 (Closed from Exit 110 at US 136, Rock Port, to the Iowa State Line)**

- Interstate 29, in Missouri, did not suffer any damage. It is closed due to damage in Iowa. When the Iowa Department of Transportation has their damaged portion just north of the Iowa State Line repaired, this section of roadway will reopen. Updates on Iowa's Flooded Roads & Repairs may be found at the link below.

### **US 136, Atchison County (Closed from I-29 to the Nebraska State Line)**

- An Emergency Contract was awarded to Leavenworth Excavating & Equipment Company, Inc., of Leavenworth, Ks to repair three scour holes east of Route D. A second Emergency Contract is to be let in early October for the westernmost scour hole, which is also the largest.

### **US 159, Holt County (Closed from Route P to the Nebraska State Line)**

- An Emergency Contract is to be awarded September 30<sup>th</sup>. This will not include full depth paving or resurfacing. That work will be part of a later repair contract.

### **US 59, Buchanan County (Closed from Missouri 45 to the Kansas State Line)**

- The contractor completed shoulder work that was necessary to reopen the road, but water continues to run over the road in two short stretches near Winthrop. When the water is off the road, the road will be reopened and the contractor will have a work zone set up to complete final repairs.
- The road *may* reopen to traffic this week. Check this page for updates.
- Kansas is beginning Missouri River bridge rehab work, which may impact travelers. Please check the Kansas Department of Transportation's website at the link below.

More information coming soon regarding **Missouri 111 & Missouri 118** in Atchison and Holt Counties!

#### **Links:**

[US 136 Aerial Map Showing Scour Holes locations and depths](#)

[MoDOT's Northwest District Flooding Photos](#)

[Iowa DOT Flooding Information Page](#)

[Kansas DOT Traffic and Travel Information Page](#)

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