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Nebraska Department of Transportation Columbus South Bridges Project

August 2026 Update

- Nebraska Department of Transportation project
 - City is the Local Public Agency of record
- Constructing southbound bridge railings over next few weeks
- Contractor is hoping to remove the temporary bridge by end of December 2026
- Contractor is planning to move two-way traffic on the northbound bridge to the new southbound bridge by Thanksgiving. The northbound bridge will then be closed for concrete patching and railing work.
- NDOT forces to grind and replace northbound bridge, north approach with asphalt when bridge is shut down
- Project is currently a little ahead of schedule for a possible summer 2027 completion