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Funding awarded for Brown Co road project

**(KNZA)--Brown County has been awarded a nearly \$958,000 grant for a road improvement project through the Kansas Department of Transportation's Cost Share Program.**

**County Road and Bridge Secretary Tami Lehmkuhl informed the Brown County Commission when they met November 30th of the funding award, which is for a rehabilitation project on 270th Road from the U.S. 75 interchange to Coyote Road.**

**The county will provide more than \$319,000 in matching funds, plus will be responsible for preliminary engineering costs.**

**Lehmkuhl said bid letting for the project will take place in 2024, with actually construction slated for 2025.**

**Its among 16 transportation construction projects across the state awarded more than \$12 million through KDOT's Cost Share Program for fall 2023.**

**Locally, funding was also awarded for projects in Atchison and Pottawatomie Counties.**

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