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Fwd: KYTC's Bridging Kentucky Program is Coming to Your County/City

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Brad be prepared to show, during court, how to get to the link and read the bridge information. We will upload to our webpage for folks to review.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Royce Meredith <royce.meredith@ky.gov>
Date: February 11, 2019 at 3:00:02 PM EST
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February 11, 2019

Dear Judge/Executives and Mayors,

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet's Bridging Kentucky program is off to a fast start in 2019, and our team wants to be sure that you, as local leaders, have the information you need.

Bridging Kentucky is one of the nation's most aggressive bridge rehabilitation and replacement programs and represents an unprecedented commitment by Gov. Matt Bevin and the Kentucky General Assembly to improve the safety of the most critical existing bridges throughout Kentucky. Through the program, KYTC will replace or rehabilitate more than 1,000 bridges — with bridges located in all 120 counties. The goal is to reopen bridges that have been closed, and restore structures so they can be used by buses, emergency vehicles and commercial trucks that exceed current weight limits for some bridges.

The Bridging Kentucky program is scheduled to move more than 460 bridge projects to construction by June 30, 2020, including dozens of bridge projects already underway or completed. In 2019 alone, about 400 bridge projects will

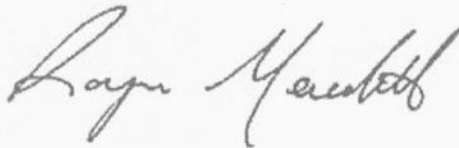
move from design and planning to construction, making this one of Kentucky's busiest years of bridge building. **Many of these are county and municipal-owned structures the state inspects to ensure for safety.**

In the coming weeks and months, please watch for continued communications from the Bridging Kentucky team. Our Team will notify you about specific work on bridges in your county as we near construction and make you aware of potential traffic impacts. Members of our consultant team may also reach out to you or your staff to discuss bridges in your area.

In the meantime, onsite assessments, surveys and environmental studies will continue throughout 2019 as the Program Team moves hundreds of projects to construction. Drivers should use caution when they see signage near a bridge where workers are onsite.

You can go to www.BridgingKentucky.com to learn more about the structures in your county included in the program. If you have specific questions or concerns about bridges being addressed in our program, please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely,



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