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SPOTLIGHT WELD COUNTY HIGHLIGHTS PROGRESS ON WCR 49 PARKWAY

WELD COUNTY, CO – The February episode of Spotlight Weld County highlights progress made on the Weld County Road 49 Parkway project. The groundbreaking for the project was held in October 2014, and as of February 2015, the roadway has been cut out from Highway 34 north to Weld County Road 60.5 and construction on two new Weld County bridges is well underway.

In this episode, Weld County Commissioner Sean Conway and Weld County Public Works Transportation Planner Elizabeth Relford talk about the importance of the Parkway to the overall Weld County Road 49 Corridor project – the largest road project ever undertaken by the county. When completed, the WCR 49 Corridor will be a four-lane (with middle turn lane) concrete road running from I-76 north to eventually Colorado State Highway 14.

This Spotlight episode follows a short behind-the-scenes video released last week which take viewers along the new WCR 49 Parkway. The video reached almost 10,000 people in two days.

To view the Spotlight Weld County episode, or the Behind the Scenes video, please visit the Weld County YouTube Channel at https://www.youtube.com/user/WeldCountyCO.

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