= K @-@ 171 (Kansas highway) =

K @-@ 171 is a state highway in the southeastern part of the U.S. state of Kansas . The 4 @.@ 890 @-@ mile (7 @.@ 870 km) highway mostly lies on the Crawford County / Cherokee County line except for the easternmost 0 @.@ 4 miles (0 @.@ 64 km) of the highway when it is entirely in Cherokee County . Its eastern terminus is at the Missouri state line near Opolis ; its western terminus is at the intersection of U.S. Route 69 / 160 and U.S. Route 400 south of Pittsburg . K @-@ 171 's current route was established in 2003 , and the routing has not changed since .

= = Route description = =

K @-@ 171 begins at a four @-@ way stop south of Pittsburg . The west arm of this intersection serves as US @-@ 400 , the north arm carries US @-@ 69 and 160 , the south arm is US @-@ 69 , 160 , and 400 , and the east arm forms the beginning of K @-@ 171 . From this intersection , the highway heads due east to Opolis . The highway begins to curve to the south just before crossing the state line and becoming Route 171 in Missouri . The entire route travels through mostly rural fields . The total length of the route is 4 @.@ 890 miles (7 @.@ 870 km) . K @-@ 171 is not a part of the United States National Highway System . The first 4 @.@ 000 miles (6 @.@ 437 km) of the route is paved with composite pavement and has annual average daily traffic values of 2600 , while the remaining 0 @.@ 890 miles (1 @.@ 432 km) is paved with full design bituminous pavement and has annual average daily traffic values of 3271 .

= = History = =

The eastern K @-@ 171 was first designated in 2003 . Prior to K @-@ 171 's formation , the road was a part of K @-@ 57 . The highway 's route has stayed the same since it was commissioned . For several years there was a western K @-@ 171 from the town of Bushton to K @-@ 4 highway . This western K @-@ 171 was decommissioned in 2010 .

= = Junction list = =