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K-96 Asphalt Overlay Begins September 2

An ultra-thin bonded asphalt overlay on K-96 from I-135 to Webb Road in northeast Wichita will begin the evening of September 2. The short-term project will be completed in the evening and overnight hours to minimize traffic impacts.

On the first two nights of work, September 2 and 3, the southbound I-135 ramp to eastbound K-96 will be closed from 9 pm until 6 am. On Thursday night, September 4, the northbound I-135 ramp to eastbound K-96 will be closed from 9 pm until 6 am. Overlay work on the K-96 mainline will begin on subsequent nights at 7 pm with all lanes and adjacent ramps being opened by 6 am.

Cornejo & Sons of Wichita is the lead contractor on the \$1,959,881 project. It is scheduled to be completed in early September but weather permitting, could be completed in about two weeks.

The Kansas Department of Transportation project is part of the highway preservation component of T-WORKS, an \$8 billion, 10-year transportation program approved by the 2010 Kansas Legislature. More information on the program is available at <http://kdotapp.ksdot.org/TWorks/>. Information on this and other Wichita highway projects is available at www.WichitaKDOT.org.

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