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Concrete Patching work on US-77 Highway from Arkansas City to the Oklahoma State Line

Starting around Tuesday, May 26, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) will begin a concrete pavement patching project on US-77 Highway in Cowley County near Arkansas City. The concrete pavement patching will begin on the US-77 bypass in Arkansas City between Summit Street and Madison Avenue and this section of US-77 will be closed approximately two (2) weeks for concrete pavement replacement adjacent to the railroad overpass. This section of the US-77 bypass will be detoured onto Summit Street and Kansas Avenue while this repair work is underway.

Approximately two weeks later concrete pavement patching will begin on the section of US-77 from the Oklahoma state line continuing north to the Arkansas River bridge located at the south city limits of Arkansas City. This four lane section of US-77 will have one lane in each direction open at all times during this two (2) week project.

Starting around July 1, after all concrete pavement patching is complete, these sections of US-77 will receive an asphalt overlay.

APAC Kansas Inc. Shears Division from Hutchinson is the prime contractor for this \$1,957,624.87project, which is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature in May 2010. For more information about T-WORKS

projects and funding visit the website, <u>www.ksdot.org/tworks</u>. Highway construction project locations and road condition information can be viewed at the http://511.ksdot.org website, or can also be accessed by telephone by dialing 511.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs, and "Give 'Em a Brake!" when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. Persons with questions about this road work or other KDOT projects can call South Central Kansas Public Affairs Manager, Martin Miller, at 620-663-3361 or 1-877-550-5368 (Toll free).

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