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# **Pavement marking on U.S. 169**

Pavement markings are being placed on U.S. 169 from the U.S. 54 junction at Iola north to approximately one mile north of the U.S. 169/K-58 junction. The work is taking place during daylight hours with a pilot car operation guiding traffic through the one-lane work zone. Travelers can expect delays of 15 minutes or less through mid-December.

In October the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) began a deep mill and overlay project on this section of U.S. 169. The road work has been suspended over the winter months and will resume in the spring of 2015. Bettis Asphalt & Construction, Topeka, is the project contractor.

Donna Schmit, construction engineer with the KDOT Garnett Area Office, reminds drivers to use extra caution in the work zone, reduce their speed and "Give 'Em a Brake!" Those with questions may contact Schmit at (785) 448-5446, or Priscilla Petersen, 1-877-550-5368.

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