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K-68 mill and overlay to start next week

Monday, June 12, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) expects to begin a resurfacing project on K-68 Highway. The road work will start at the junction with K-33 and continue east to U.S. 169. Project activity includes a 1-inch mill and asphalt overlay.

Flaggers and a pilot car will guide one-lane traffic through the work zone, with delays of 15 minutes or less expected during daylight hours. The project should be completed in one month, weather permitting.

KDOT awarded the \$2 million construction contract to Bettis Asphalt & Construction Inc. of Topeka. Troy Howard, construction engineer at the Garnett KDOT office, reminds drivers to obey the signs and flaggers, slow down and 'Give 'Em a Brake!' at the work zone. Persons with questions concerning the project may contact Howard at (785) 448-5446 or Priscilla Petersen at the KDOT Chanute office, (620) 902-6433.

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