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# Highway resurfacing to begin in Baxter Springs

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) expects to start a mill and overlay project in Baxter Springs on Tuesday, Sept. 6, weather permitting.

The following highways will be resurfaced:

- U.S. 69 (Military Avenue), from the south city limits to the north city limits.
- U.S 166 (12<sup>th</sup> Street), from the west city limits to the east city limits.

Flaggers and a pilot car will guide one-lane traffic through the work zone during daylight hours. Expect delays of 15 minutes or less until the road work is completed in late September.

KDOT awarded Blevins Asphalt Construction Company, Inc., of Mount Vernon, Missouri, the \$1.8 million construction contract.

Persons with questions may contact KDOT Pittsburg Area Engineer Kyler Farmer at (620) 308-7617, or Public Affairs Manager Priscilla Petersen, (620) 902-6433. Check KDOT's updated traveler information website, [www.Kandrive.org](http://www.Kandrive.org), for more highway condition and construction details.

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