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K-23 Resurfacing to Begin in Finney and Lane County

The Kansas Department of Transportation will begin highway resurfacing of K-23 beginning at the intersection of K-23 and US-156 continuing North on K-23 to the Lane/Gove County Line. Resurfacing is scheduled to begin Thursday, May 4, 2017.

K-23 will be reduced to one lane guided by a pilot car during working hours with an approximate delay

of 15 minutes during the project. The project is expected to be completed by late August weather

permitting. KDOT urges drivers to be alert, pay attention to all work zone warning signs, slow down

when approaching a work zone and be prepared to stop.

Bettis Asphalt and Construction of Topeka is the primary contractor on the project with an approximate construction cost of \$3.2 million.

For more information on this project, please call Craig Schlott, Construction Engineer, at 620765-7074 or Lisa Knoll, KDOT District 6 Affairs Manager, at 620-765-7080.

You can stay aware of all road construction projects across Kansas at <u>www.kandrive.org</u> or by calling 5-1-1. To learn more about this and other T-WORKS projects, visit <u>www.ksdot.org/tworks</u>.

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