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# Work starting on U.S. 183 in Phillips County

Starting June 22, weather permitting, the Kansas Department of Transportation will begin work on a chip seal project on U.S. 183 in Phillips County. The project covers a 13-mile stretch of roadway starting at the Phillips/Rooks County line and ending at the U.S. 183 and 36 junction in Phillipsburg.

Traffic will be reduced to one lane in the construction zone and controlled by flaggers and a pilot car during daylight hours. Minor delays, not exceeding 15 minutes, can be expected. Motorists are encouraged to slow down, obey the warning signs and "Give 'em a Brake!" when approaching and driving through work zones. The project is expected to be completed by the end of June, weather permitting.

Mid America Road Builders Inc. is the primary contractor for the project with a total contract cost of \$630,000. The project is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas legislature in May 2010. Find out more about this and other T-WORKS projects at <http://kdotapp.ksdot.org/TWORKS>.

For more information, contact KDOT area construction engineer Jim Riener at 785-543-2163 or [jriener@ksdot.org](mailto:jriener@ksdot.org).

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