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Pavement overlay projects in Douglas County to begin Monday

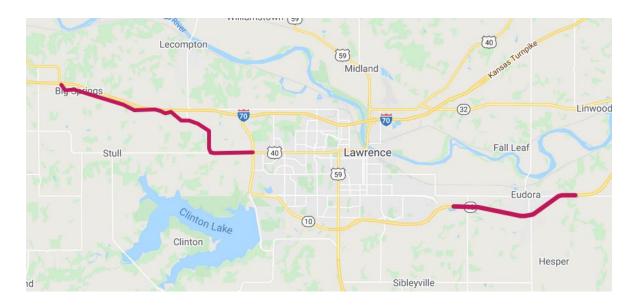
According to the Kansas Department of Transportation, a mill and overlay project on U.S. 40, in Douglas County, will begin, Monday, June 15, weather permitting. Work will occur from just east of the Shawnee/Douglas County line, east to the K-10 junction and is expected to be completed mid-July.

In addition, an asphalt resurfacing project on K-10, in Douglas County, is expected to begin, Wednesday, July 1, weather permitting. Work will occur from one-half mile west of E-1900 Road, east to the Douglas/Johnson County line, and is expected to be completed mid-August.

Work on both projects will happen during daylight hours. Traffic control will include a lane width restriction of 12 feet in the work area, a pilot car operation, traffic cones and signage. Motorists should expect delays of up to 15 minutes.

Hamm, Inc. of Perry, is the contractor on the \$1.7 million and \$1.2 million projects, respectively.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert and obey the warning signs when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. To stay aware of all road construction projects across Kansas go to www.kandrive.org or call 5-1-1. Drive safely and always wear your seat belt.



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