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U.S. 59 resurfacing work to begin Allen County

The week of July 9 the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) expects to begin a resurfacing project on U.S. 59 in Allen County. The road work starts at the Neosho-Allen county line and continues north for 13 miles to end at the U.S. 54 junction at Moran.

Project activity includes a 3/4-inch mill of the pavement and placement of an ultra-thin bonded asphalt overlay. Flaggers and a pilot car will direct one-lane traffic through the work zone during daylight hours; expect delays of 15 minutes or less. The project should be completed in one month, weather permitting.

KDOT awarded the \$1 million construction contract to Shilling Construction Company of Manhattan. Drivers are reminded to watch for the signs and flaggers, and to "Give 'Em a Brake!" at the work zone. Persons with questions may contact KDOT Iola Area Engineer Darrin Petrowsky at (620) 365-2161 or Public Affairs Manager Priscilla Petersen at (620) 902-6433.

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