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Resurfacing work to begin at intersection improvement project south of Pittsburg

Weather permitting, on Wednesday, Nov. 28, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) will begin to mill and place an asphalt overlay on the mainline at the U.S. 69/U.S. 400/K-171 intersection improvement project south of Pittsburg.

Flaggers will direct traffic through the work zone during resurfacing operations, which will create traveler delays at the junction. A driving lane width restriction of 11 feet is in effect; no oversized loads are allowed.

KDOT awarded the construction contract of \$2.5 million to Amino Brothers, Co., Inc., of Kansas City, Kan. The intersection improvement adds turning lanes and permanent traffic signals. The work is expected to be finished and the intersection opened to unrestricted traffic in mid-December.

Bob Gudgen, construction engineer at KDOT-Pittsburg, reminds drivers to obey the signs and flaggers and to 'Give 'em a Brake!' at the work zone. Persons with questions may call Gudgen at (620) 308-7621 or Priscilla Petersen at KDOT-Chanute, (620) 902-6433.

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