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KDOT resurfacing U.S. 69 in Linn County

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) has begun a resurfacing project on U.S. 69 in Linn County. Work starts north of the U.S. 69/K-52 north junction and continues for six miles, ending south of the Linn-Miami county line.

Project activity includes: milling at various locations; a 1-inch reflective crack interlayer (RCI) mix overlay on the driving lanes; and an overlay on exit and entrance ramps. Both north- and southbound traffic is reduced to one lane on the project. The speed limit is reduced to 60 miles an hour, with a driving lane width restriction of 12 feet. Weather permitting, the road work should be finished by late summer 2018.

KDOT awarded the \$5.4 million construction contract to APAC Kansas Inc., Shears Division of Hutchinson. Troy Howard, construction engineer at the KDOT Garnett office, reminds drivers to watch for the signs, slow down and "Give 'Em a Brake!" at the work zone. Persons with questions may contact Howard at (785) 448-5446, or Priscilla Petersen, KDOT Southeast District public affairs manager, at (620) 902-6433.

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