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Pavement Reconstruction Set to Begin in City of Augusta

Starting the week of August 22th, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) will begin a pavement reconstruction project on eastbound lanes of US-54/US-400 Highway in Butler County, from US-54/US-400 Highway/Lulu Street Intersection to the bridge carrying US-54/US-400 Highway over the BNSF railway.

Drivers can expect minimal delays. All loads over 12' of total width should seek alternative routes. This reconstruction project is scheduled to be completed in mid-December, depending on delays caused by adverse weather conditions.

Pearson Construction LLC from Wichita, Kansas is the prime contractor for this \$903,000 project, which is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature. For more information about T-WORKS projects and funding visit the website, www.ksdot.org/tworks. Highway construction project locations and road condition information can be viewed at the <http://511.ksdot.org> website, or can also be accessed by telephone by dialing 511.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs, and "Give 'Em a Brake!" when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. Persons with questions about this road work or other KDOT projects can call South Central Kansas Public Affairs Manager, Zach Oswald, at 620-663-3361 or 1-877-550-5368 (Toll free).

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