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Roadwork to Begin in Trego County

Weather permitting, on **Monday, March 10**, a resurfacing project will begin on a 22 mile stretch of K-147 from the Ness/Trego County line to Ogallah.

The scope of the project is to mill the existing pavement and overlay with 1 ½ inch of new asphalt material.

Traffic will be reduced to one lane and controlled by flaggers and a pilot car during daylight hours. Minor delays should be expected during construction, not exceeding 15 minutes.

The Kansas Department of Transportation urges all motorists to be alert, obey the warning signs, and “Give ‘Em a Brake!” when approaching and driving through the construction zone.

KDOT awarded this construction contract – totaling \$1,759,990 - to Venture, Corp. of Great Bend. **The scheduled completion date for the project is late April, 2014, weather permitting.**

This project is funded by T-WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature in May 2010. Find out more about this and other T-WORKS projects at: <http://kdotapp.ksdot.org/TWorks/>.

For questions concerning this project, please contact KDOT Area Three Construction Engineer Nick Rogers at (785) 625-9718 or nrogers@ksdot.org; or KDOT Northwest District Engineer Jeff Stewart at (785) 877-3315 or jeff@ksdot.org.

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