UPDATE: Closure of Fourth Avenue at K-14 in Hutchinson is now expected to last three weeks, not two weeks.

K-14 patching will close part of Fourth Avenue in Hutchinson

Patching on about 7 miles of K-14 in Reno County will require temporary closure of the highway's interchange at Fourth Avenue in Hutchinson. Fourth Avenue at K-14, on the west side of Hutchinson, will be closed for about two weeks beginning July 20.

The Kansas Department of Transportation is overseeing the project. Crews will be patching on K-14 from the U.S. 50 junction on the south to west of the Willowbrook neighborhood on the north. The patching will include ramps and the interchange at Fourth Avenue. The work on Fourth will be done before patching on the highway. The entire project is expected to be completed around mid-September, depending on the weather.

During the work, motorists should be prepared to slow down and stop for a flagger; a pilot car will lead traffic through the work zone. Motorists should expect delays of up to 15 minutes.

Bryant & Bryant Construction Inc., of Halstead, is the primary contractor for the $459,840 project.

See map below of project segments, marked in red.