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## **Work to begin tomorrow in Cloud, Dickinson, Ellsworth, and Saline counties**

The Kansas Department of Transportation will begin a mobile milling operation tomorrow to gather asphalt samples on U.S. 81 in Cloud County, U.S. 77 in Dickinson County, K-218 in Dickinson County, K-14 in Ellsworth County and K-4 in Saline County.

On Thursday, August 26, work will begin on northbound U.S. 81 in Cloud County, just north of U.S. 24 at mile marker 193, thence to U.S. 77 in Dickinson County, north of K-4 at mile marker 129, and finish the day's work on K-218 in Dickinson County, south of K-4 at mile marker 1. On Friday, August 27, work will begin on K-14 in Ellsworth County at mile marker 151 then move to the final location on K-4 in Saline County, South of K-104 at mile marker 197.

Traffic will be reduced to one lane at a reduced speed where the contractor is actively working. Drivers should expect minimal delays, not exceeding five minutes.

Dustrol Inc. of Towanda is the prime contractor and has scheduled this \$15,164 project to be completed by September, weather permitting.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert and obey the warning signs when approaching and driving through a highway work zone. To stay aware of all road construction projects across Kansas, go to [www.kandrive.org](http://www.kandrive.org) or call 5-1-1.

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