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## **Mill and Overlay to begin May 20 on U.S. 81**

On May 20 the Kansas Department of Transportation will begin a mill and overlay project in the southbound lanes of U.S. 81 beginning at the South city limits of Concordia and continuing south for approximately four miles in Cloud County.

Traffic will be reduced to one 14' lane during daylight hours at a reduced speed of 60mph. Drivers should expect a delay of up to 15 minutes and plan extra time in their travel schedules.

Hall Brothers out of Marysville is the prime contractor and have scheduled this project to be completed at the beginning of July, weather permitting, at a cost of \$1.1 million.

KDOT urges all motorists to be alert and obey the warning signs when approach 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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