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## **Asphalt Overlay on US-54 & K-64 Highways in Pratt County set to begin**

Starting around Monday, April 1, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) will begin two asphalt paving projects on US-54 and K-64 Highways in Pratt County. The US-54 project starts at the US-54/K-61 junction and continues east 4.47 Miles to 60th Avenue in Pratt County and the K-64 project will cover the entire four (4) miles of this highway. Both highways will have some surface areas milled followed with an asphalt overlay. Project construction is scheduled to be completed by the middle of May, depending on delays due to adverse weather conditions.

Traffic through this work zone will be controlled by flagmen and pilot car, so drivers can expect delays of up to 15 minutes. The work area will move daily and work will be underway during daylight hours only.

US-54 will have a 12 foot width restriction in that work zone, so vehicles with widths wider than 12 feet will need to use an alternate route; and K-64 will have an 11 foot width restriction, so vehicles with widths wider than 11 feet will need to use an alternate route.

APAC Kansas Inc., Shears Division from Hutchinson is the prime contractor for the \$ \$847,000 US-54 project and the \$288,000 K-64 project, which is funded by T-

WORKS, the transportation program passed by the Kansas Legislature in May 2010. For more information about T-WORKS projects and funding visit the website, [www.ksdot.org/tworks](http://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, Martin Miller, at 620-663-3361 or 1-877-550-5368 (Toll free).

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