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Asphalt Overlay on U.S. 54 from 127th to Andover

On Monday, August 31, a Kansas Department of Transportation contractor will begin an asphalt overlay on U.S. 54/400 (East Kellogg) from 127th Street East to Andover Road in Butler County. Work is expected to begin on westbound U.S. 54 at the east end of the project with a daytime lane closure for the 1½” asphalt overlay.

Besides overlaying the four lanes of the three-mile section of U.S. 54, a new asphalt shoulder and right turn lane will be installed on the eastbound U.S. 54 approach to 143rd Street East.

Overnight lane closures are not planned but single lane closures will cause traffic slowdowns and congestion is likely. Commuters with other options might choose an alternate route or allow extra time to travel through the work zone. The contractor is planning to work Mondays through Fridays from sunup to sundown.

Cornejo & Sons Construction of Wichita is the primary contractor on the $1,448,504 project. It is scheduled to be completed in mid-October if work progresses without delays caused by weather.

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