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K-68 pavement project to begin next week

On Monday, April 7, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) plans to begin a pavement and shoulder reconstruction project on K-68 east of Ottawa. The road work starts at the junction of K-68/I-35 and continues east for 1.3 miles.

The project also includes adding turn lanes at an existing entrance. Two-way traffic will be carried through the construction zone. Weather permitting, the project should be completed by early autumn.

KDOT awarded the construction contract of $2.7 million to Emery Sapp & Sons, Inc., Kansas City, Mo. The preservation project is funded under the T-WORKS transportation program. Those with questions may contact KDOT Garnett Area Construction Engineer Donna Schmit at (785) 448-5446, or Priscilla Petersen, 1-877-550-5368. For more information concerning T-WORKS projects visit the website, www.ksdot.org/twoks.

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