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K-171 mill and overlay starts next week

The Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) expects to begin a mill and overlay project on K-171 next Monday, Sept. 23, weather permitting.

The road work starts at the U.S. 69 junction and continues east to the Missouri state line. A pilot car and flaggers will guide one-lane traffic through the work zone; expect delays of 15 minutes or less through early October.

Bettis Asphalt & Construction, Inc., of Topeka is contractor on the $643,000 project.

Persons with questions may contact Bob Gudgen at KDOT-Pittsburg, (620) 308-7621, or Priscilla Petersen at KDOT-Chanute, (620) 902-6433.

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