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KDOT to replace pavement in the K-68 roundabout

Tuesday, Aug. 2, weather permitting, the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) expects to begin a project to replace the concrete pavement in the roundabout at K-68 and Old Kansas City Road.

During construction the roundabout legs for Old Kansas City Road and Hedge Lane will be closed to through traffic. K-68 traffic will be reduced to one lane directed by temporary signals at the roundabout; expect brief delays. The project should be finished by December, weather permitting. KDOT awarded the construction contract of approximately $2 million to Bettis Asphalt & Construction, Inc., of Topeka.

Donna Schmit, area engineer at the Garnett KDOT office, reminds drivers to obey the signals, reduce speed and ‘Give ‘Em a Brakel!’ at the work zone. Persons with questions concerning this project may contact Schmit at (785) 448-5446 or Priscilla Petersen at 1-877-550-5368.

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