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US-24 & K-193 Overlay in Mitchell County Begins

A mill and overlay project on US-24 in Mitchell County began Monday, July 7, 2014. The project starts at the Mitchell/Osborne County line then east to the Mitchell/Cloud County line a distance of 32.8 miles. The roadway will receive a 1” mill followed by a 1.5” asphalt overlay on the roadway and shoulders. The mill and overlay includes K-193 from US-24 to the city limits of Asherville.

Traffic will be carried through construction by pilot car during daylight hours only. There will be a width restriction of 11’ at the equipment location. Drivers should be prepared to stop. Minor delays should be expected.

The purpose of the project is to extend the life of the highway and improve ride quality.

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