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Work to Begin on US-20, Atkinson to O'Neill

Weather permitting, construction work is scheduled to begin the week of August 10 on US-20, beginning at the east edge of Atkinson and extending 16.6 miles to O'Neill, according to the Nebraska Department of Roads.

Monarch Oil of Omaha, Nebraska, has the \$736,475 contract for microsurfacing the roadway and applying a fog seal to the asphalt shoulders. Traffic will be maintained during construction with the use of flaggers and a pilot vehicle. The work is anticipated to be completed by the end of August.

The Department of Roads' project engineer is H. Gene Colfack of O'Neill. Motorists are urged to use caution while driving through highway work zones and to remember that speeding fines are doubled when workers are present.

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