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Work Resumes on US-136 East of Red Cloud

Weather permitting, construction work is scheduled to resume the week of March 7 on US-136, starting at Red Cloud and proceeding 6.5 miles east, according to the Nebraska Department of Roads. This construction will complete the remainder of work that started in 2015.

Vontz Paving, Inc. of Hastings, Nebraska, is the prime contractor on this \$3.6 million contract. Major items of work include bridge work along with some asphalt and shoulder work.

Work on the phased bridges will be done with traffic reduced to one lane and 10-foot width restrictions. The remainder of the work will be constructed under traffic with the use of flaggers and a pilot vehicle. Work on the project is anticipated to be completed in mid-summer of 2016.

The Department of Roads' project manager is Steve Meyer of Hastings. Motorists are reminded to drive safely through work zones.

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