

Bids approved for area highway projects

**(KNZA)--The Kansas Department of Transportation has approved bids for several area highway resurfacing projects.**

**St. Joseph, Missouri-based Herzog Contracting Corporation was the successful bidder for the projects in Atchison, Brown, Doniphan, Jefferson and Jackson Counties.**

**More than 11 miles of U.S. 159 will be resurfaced from the north city limits of Nortonville at the Atchison/Jefferson County line to the west city limits of Effingham. Herzog bid nearly \$1,040,000 for project.**

**A milling and overlay project will take place on a nearly 21 mile stretch of K-20 Highway from the east junction with U.S. 73 in Brown County to the junction with K-7 Highway in Doniphan County for a total cost of more than \$1.9 million.**

**A total of 14 miles of U.S. 59 and K-92 Highways in Jefferson County will be resurfaced for a total cost of nearly \$3.2 million. That includes U.S. 59 from the south city limits of Oskaloosa to north of 198th Street and K-92 from Union Street in Oskaloosa east to the junction with U.S 59.**

**Herzog was also the winning bidder on a milling and overlay project on a 22 mile stretch of K-116 between its junction with K-16 three miles east of Holton and its eastern terminus at U.S Highway 59 near Cummings in Atchison County. Herzog bid more than \$2.3 million on the project.**

**Construction start dates for the projects haven't yet been announced.**

**Bids were opened January 15 in Topeka.**

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