# Weekly Newsletter

# Western Federal Lands Highway Division Upper Hoh River Road Phase 2

March 8th, 2022

#### **Project Information:**

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Notice to Proceed: February 24th, 2021

<u>Fixed Completion Date:</u> September 23rd, 2023



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## **Construction Activities and Upcoming Work**

Next week, Interwest Construction Inc. (ICI) will resume work on the project. This year, ICI will be replacing the bridge at Tower Creek at MP 7.8 on Upper Hoh Road. This will include demolition of the existing bridge and the restoration of the streambed underneath the new bridge. In July, ICI will also continue constructing the Engineered Log Jams (ELJs), resuming where they left off at approximately MP 4.25 and working toward the furthest downriver ELJs at MP 3.7, near the Willoughby Creek Campground. Next week, work will consist of setting up temporary traffic control signage and clearing of the trees at these locations in preparation for this work in the coming months.

## **Impacts to Traffic**

- Beginning March 14th, expect Temporary Traffic Control
   Flaggers at locations between MP 3 and MP 8 of Upper Hoh Rd
- Travelers should expect delays up to a total of 30 minutes per passage through the project corridor Monday through Friday from 8AM-5PM
- Olympic National Park and businesses along Upper Hoh Road will remain accessible at all times during construction.

For more information, please visit the project website at: <a href="https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/wa/jeff-91420-1">highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/wa/jeff-91420-1</a>