

Weekly Newsletter

Western Federal Lands Highway Division

Upper Hoh River Road Phase 2

March 24th, 2022

Project Information:

Project Number:
WA JEFF 91420(1)

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Project Partner:
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Construction Activities and Upcoming Work

This week, Interwest Construction, Inc. (ICI) completed clearing trees at MP 4 to 4.25 along the river bank in preparation for the Engineered Log Jam (ELJ) construction. Per contract and permit requirements, clearing must be completed by April 1st each year. ELJ construction will take place during the in-water work window in July. Next week, ICI will perform some final clearing near MP 3.7, and then start preparation for pile driving operations for the new bridge foundation at Tower Creek. Partial bridge demolition will take place after pile driving is complete, followed by excavation for the new road alignment and installation of concrete girders for the new bridge

Impacts to Traffic

- Travelers can expect Temporary Traffic Control Flaggers at locations between MP 3 and MP 8 of Upper Hoh Rd
- 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:
highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/wa/jeff-91420-1

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Clearing trees at MP 4 along river bank where ELJs will be installed



Source: FHWA (all images)