

# Weekly Newsletter

## Western Federal Lands Highway Division

### Upper Hoh River Road Phase 2

April 7th, 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) continued delivering material for Engineered Log Jam (ELJ) construction and 24” pipe for pile driving operations at the Tower Creek bridge. ICI installed some more erosion control devices including silt fence, straw wattles, and straw in all disturbed areas. Traffic is now diverted to a single lane at Tower Creek with an automated traffic signal running 24/7. ICI milled the asphalt on the northern lane approaches to the bridge at Tower Creek. For the next few weeks, ICI plans to prepare for pile driving operations for the new bridge foundation and partial bridge demolition at Tower Creek.

#### Impacts to Traffic

- Travelers can expect Temporary Traffic Control Flaggers and or signals between MP 7 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](https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/wa/jeff-91420-1)

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**Tower Creek bridge traffic shifted to south lane**

Source FHWA



**Milling north lane on east approach to Tower Creek**

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