

Weekly Newsletter

Western Federal Lands Highway Division

Upper Hoh River Road Phase 2

June 10th, 2022

Project Information:

Project Number:
WA JEFF 91420(1)

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Project Partner:
Jefferson County

Contractor:
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Notice to Proceed:
February 24th, 2021

Fixed Completion Date:
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Construction Activities and Upcoming Work

This week, Interwest Construction, Inc. (ICI) completed the partial demolition of the existing bridge at Tower Creek (MP 7.8). ICI subcontracted Snell Crane to remove 2 of the 5 girders from the bridge. These girders will be demolished and disposed of off-site. The remainder of the bridge remains intact and will continue to function as the temporary bypass until it is completely removed following the completion of the new bridge later this summer. Next week, ICI will construct the formwork and rebar around the driven piles at each bridge abutment to prepare for pouring the concrete pile caps. ICI will also continue to receive material for Engineered Log Jam (ELJ) construction.

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 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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