

OLD YELLOWSTONE TRAIL SOUTH IMPROVEMENTS

Project Information

Project Number:

MT FLAP PARK 2021(1)

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Notice to Proceed:

06/30/2025

Fixed Completion Date:

10/31/2025

Project Description:

The project includes drainage improvements, roadway reconditioning, aggregate surfacing, and guardrail replacement on Old Yellowstone Trail South between Arch Park and Cinnabar Junction near Gardiner in Park County, MT. The project is located in Yellowstone National Park and Custer-Gallatin National Forest.

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Yellowstone National Park and Custer-Gallatin National Forest Project Updates

Current Construction Activities:

October 17, 2025

Construction operations continued on Old Yellowstone Trail South this week. This week's operations consisted of Surface Course Aggregate Placement, Turf Establishment, Riprap Ditch Lining, Culvert Cleaning, and Permanent Traffic Control Installation.

Upcoming Construction Activities:

Construction operations for next week will consist of Permanent Traffic Control Installation, Punch List Items, and Final Inspection

Riprap Ditch Lining



Culvert Cleaning



Turf Establishment



Image Source: RockSol Consulting for FHWA

Work Schedule:

Monday – Friday, 7:30 am - 7:00 pm

Closures: Single lane closures with alternating one-way traffic should be expected

Delays: Minor delays for single lane closures of up to 20 minutes for road work.



Project Website: <https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/mt/flap-park-2021-1>

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