

POLYCHROME AREA IMPROVEMENTS



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Project Number:

AK NPS DENA 10(49)

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Notice to Proceed:

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Current Fixed

Completion Date:

September 30, 2024

Anticipated Fixed

Completion Date:

July 1, 2026



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Construction Activities and Upcoming Work

The contractor continued work on the Bear Cave staging area and began work on the MP 44 staging area. The contractor also began installation of geotechnical monitoring instruments in the slide area along with survey control point verification. Wednesday the contractor gathered their baseline topographic survey.

Night time work will begin Sunday night with the contractor hauling material from MP 27 Tek pit to the MP 44 staging area. Hauling operations will be conducted between the hours of 10 pm and 6 am. Survey work at the slide area will continue during the day time shift.

Traffic Delays

There are no traffic delays expected. The Denali Park Road is closed to the public beginning at mile post 43, the East Fork Toklat River Bridge.

In the next few days, you may notice some new temporary signage before and after the entrance to the MP 5 pit, warning of trucks entering the roadway.



Looking up into the slide from below.



Geotechnical monitoring instrument installed.

Website: <https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/ak/nps-dena-10-49>

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