

POLYCHROME AREA IMPROVEMENTS



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September 8, 2023

Project Number:

AK NPS DENA 10(49)

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Contractor:

Granite Construction Co.
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Notice to Proceed:

1/4/2023

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 installed a protective structure over the NPS monitoring instruments on the west side of the slide. They completed the bench excavations and drilled the blast holes for the first blast of the west abutment rock wall scheduled for this afternoon.

Next week, the contractor will continue drilling and blasting the west abutment rock wall and will begin casting the 13 abutment #2 concrete units.

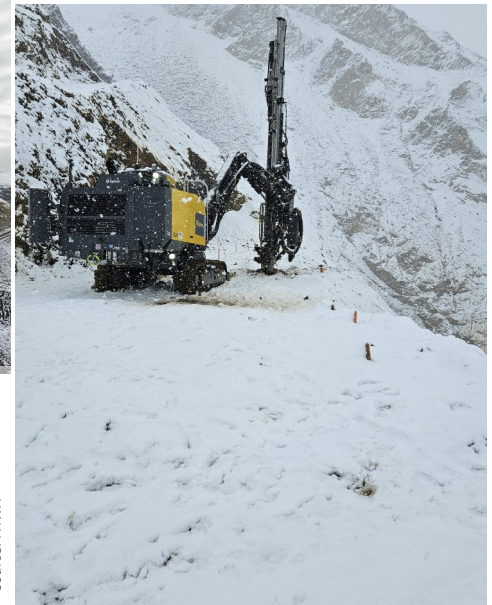
Traffic Delays

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. Several side dump trucks will continue to enter the park in the evenings heading to Tek Pit and night time trucking traffic can be expected leaving the MP 5 pit and Tek pit traveling west to the closed portion of the road.



Source: FHWA

Setting the NPS
Instrument protection.



Source: FHWA

Drilling blast holes on
the west rock cut.

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

Western Federal Lands Highway Division