Weekly Newsletter

Western Federal Lands Highway Division Upper Hoh River Road Phase 2

April 28th, 2022

Project Information:

Project Number: WA JEFF 91420(1)

FHWA Contact:

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Project Partner:
Jefferson County

Contractor:

Interwest Construction Inc. Sequim, WA

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Fixed Completion Date: September 23rd, 2023



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Construction Activities and Upcoming Work

This week, Interwest Construction, Inc. (ICI) continued delivering material for Engineered Log Jam (ELJ) construction, though no work was performed this week as the pile driving subcontractor is scheduled to begin mobilizing to the site next week. After that, the contractor will begin pile driving for the new bridge foundations, then begin partial bridge demolition around the end of May. Traffic is diverted to a single lane at Tower Creek with an automated traffic signal running 24/7. Please be cautious and aware over the next couple weeks as there will be an increase in heavy truck traffic on Upper Hoh Road as cranes and heavy equipment are mobilized to and from the project.

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

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FHWA and ICI meet to prepare their work plan for 2022 ELJ installation



Mulch placed at Tower Creek for erosion protection

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