



Yellowstone River Bridge May 10, 2024

Construction Activities & Upcoming Work

Project Number:

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Notice to Proceed:

January 24, 2023

Fixed Completion Date:

November 30, 2026



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Project Description:

Utilizing Great American Outdoor Act Funding the Yellowstone River Bridge project includes constructing a new bridge over the Yellowstone river, a new alignment to the bridge approach, expansion of picnic areas, and additional parking at various trailheads.

Road Conditions:

Extreme caution should be used by motorist and tourist, particularly during rainy or snowy weather conditions. Temporary traffic control signs are utilized at the active construction locations to ensure public safety. Expect one lane traffic throughout the construction zone.

Current and Upcoming Work:

The contractor continued work on the crane pad foundations at Pier 3 and Abutment 2. Mechanical issues at the concrete plant canceled the concrete pours at Piers 1 and 2 this week. The contractor is hopeful to have the issues corrected by next week to be able to pour the footings. The crane for Pier 3 was delivered this week and the contractor began erecting it. Off-site the contracted cast segments 7 and 8 for Pier 3. Work will continue with segments 9 and 10 next week.

Traffic Delays:

Public traffic should expect minimal delays next week and throughout the of the construction season. A majority of the work next week will be at Piers 1 and 2 which are accessed near the existing bridge, please use caution when driving by construction access roads.



Crane Being Erected at Pier 3

Source: FHWA

Project Website: <https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/wy/nps-yell-12-2>

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