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Granite Hill Road Reconstruction Phase II

Construction Activities & Upcoming Work

Project Description:

The Granite Hill Road Reconstruction Phase II project is a continuation of work that is being completed in the Wallowa Whitman National Forest near the town of Granite, OR. This project will replace five existing fish passage culverts. Three of the culverts will be replaced with precast concrete box culverts. The other two culverts will be replaced precast concrete bridges. Work also related to this project will contain streambed mitigation and restoration to the impacted areas.

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. Traffic impacts were minimal this week.

Current and Upcoming Work:

This week, Cascade Civil is continuing work on the temporary bridge at Bull Run #4, aiming to complete it by Tuesday. Preparations are also underway for the upcoming pile driving work, scheduled to begin Wednesday (06/11). Triple River is set to begin work on temporary stream diversions at Bull Run #1, #2, and Boundary Creek, with no in-water work planned. In addition, unsuitable surface material at Bull Run #3 and #4 will be replaced with drier ¾" baserock to prepare the bridge approaches. Looking ahead to next week, both Bull Run #3 and #4 bridges are expected to open.

Traffic Delays:

Minimal delays should be expected next week and the majority of the construction season. Please use caution when driving by construction operations.

Construction Milestones:

Bridge Locations:

- Temporary Bridge Installation
- Pile Driving
- Abutment Concrete Pour
- UHPC Longitudinal Joints

Culvert Locations:

- Removal Of Existing Culvert
- Installation Of Box Culvert
- Streambed Material



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Bull Run #4 Temporary Bridge Footings

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Setting Beams at Bull Run #4 Temporary Bridge

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