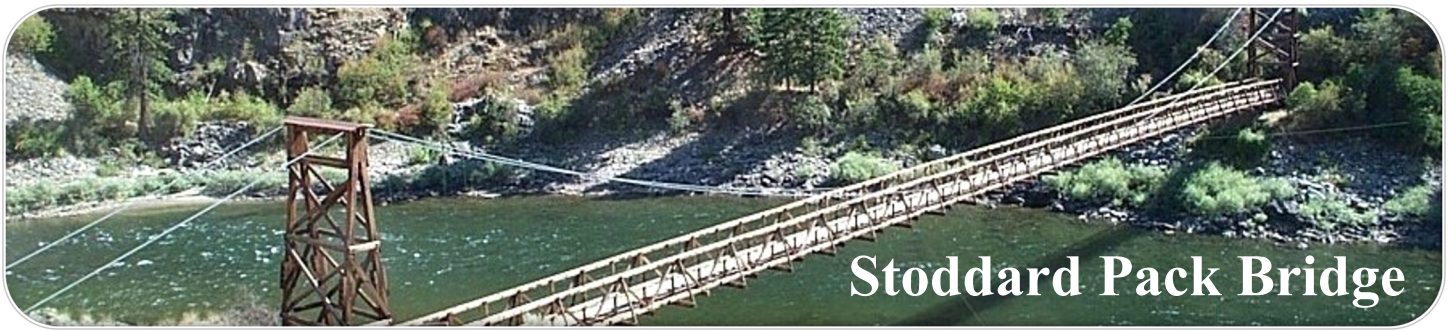




Construction Activities & Upcoming Work

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Fall 2026

Project Description

Stoddard Pack Bridge is a pedestrian and pack animal crossing over the Salmon River, approximately 0.5 miles downstream of the confluence with the Middle Fork of the Salmon River or 39 miles west of North Fork, Idaho. This project will reconstruct the wooden pack bridge that was destroyed by a rockfall event in March of 2017. The new, proposed asymmetric suspension bridge will be constructed near the site of the previous bridge.



Source of photos: FHWA



Work Schedule

Inland Crane, Inc. (ICI) is working Monday through Saturday until further notice except holidays and inclement weather (high winds). They are currently installing main bridge cables and anchors. This will be followed by attaching hanger cables to the main cables over the next few weeks.

When the bridge cables and hangers are complete, steel trusses will be attached to the cables. Then precast concrete deck panels will be installed between the trusses. These materials will require numerous large loads transported to the project site from the Stoddard Trailhead and Ebenezer Campground staging area. Timber decking and railing will be installed on the bridge and abutment. Earthwork and grading will be done to connect the trail with the bridge.

Traffic

The section of Salmon River Road through the construction site is a single lane, two-way alternating traffic control zone. Please observe and yield to oncoming traffic. The speed limit continues to be **15 mph**. There may be intermittent periods of traffic delays up to 20 minutes. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.



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