

# CHARLES M RUSSELL REFUGE REPAIRS

## Construction Activities & Upcoming Work

May 5, 2023

### Repairs Begin On Charles M. Russell Refuge

#### Project Information

**Project Number:**

MT FWS CMR 61520(1)

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**Notice to Proceed:**

2/13/2023

**Fixed Completion Date:**

9/27/2023

**Project Description:**

Improvements to several stream crossings on Routes 101, 201 and 220, including culvert replacement, drainage improvements, bridge installations and roadway betterment.



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of Transportation

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Administration**

**Construction Activities:**

This week marks the beginning of construction activities. The contractor (Battle Ridge Builders, LLC and Bishop, Inc.) began operations at Siparyann Creek to restore access to the public for the opening of Paddlefish season. They also began the replacement of culverts along Route 101 and plan to continue this work for the next few weeks.



Photo Sources: FHWA



**Work Schedule:**

Monday—Thursday 7:00—5:00

**Delays and Closures:**

**Delays:** Minor delays of up to 20 minutes due to culvert installations. Please have patience during construction.

**Road Closures:** None expected at this time.

**Project Website:** <https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/mt/charles-m-russell-national-wildlife-refuge>

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