

MANY GLACIER ROAD

Construction Activities & Upcoming Work

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Project Number:

MT NPS GLAC 14(4)

MT GLACIER 14(1)

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Notice to Proceed:

January 13, 2020

Fixed Completion Date:

November 19, 2021



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**Federal Highway
Administration**

Project Description:

This project is being administered by the Federal Highway Administration Western Federal Lands Highway Division, in partnership with the Blackfeet Nation and Glacier National Park. The project will rehabilitate approximately 12 miles of Many Glacier Road from Many Glacier Hotel Parking Area inside Glacier National Park to the intersection in Babb, MT on the Blackfeet Indian Reservation. In general, the project will closely follow the existing horizontal and vertical alignments of Many Glacier Road and reconstruction will provide a consistent 22 foot-wide paved surface. This project includes improved base material beneath the roadway, installing new asphalt concrete pavement surfacing, and replacing failed, undersized, or otherwise deficient culverts. The project also contains masonry and minor bridge work within Glacier National Park and turnout and parking area reconstructions throughout the project limits.



Surface Conditions:

The current road conditions on the Reservation consist of graded asphalt millings. The current road conditions in the Park consist of graded gravel/milling surface up to the Entrance Station. Past the Entrance Station, there is pavement with occasional asphalt patches where culverts or sub-excavations have been installed.



Current and Upcoming Work:

Current work in the Park includes: recycled aggregate placement at Many Glacier Hotel parking lot, headwall repointing, curb and gutter grading, sidewalk removal. Upcoming work in the Park may include: rockery wall installation, sidewalk forming, and curb forming. Current work on the Reservation includes: utility location and culvert installation. Upcoming work on the Reservation may include: culvert installation and road maintenance. Material production continues at the Contractor located Babb Pit.



Traffic Delays:

Due to current events unrelated to this construction project, Glacier National Park East Entrances and The Blackfeet Indian Reservation are closed to the public and non-essential travel. Construction continues and will provide access for Glacier National Park administrative travel and residential travel with minimal delays.

***The Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for this project is available for viewing at the Project Office of the Contractor in Glacier National Park. See SWPPP information posted at the start of the project.**

Project Website: <https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/mt/nps-glac-14-4>

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Repair Drainage Structure



Culvert Installation



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Aggregate Placement