

Skykomish Cleanup



Construction update

June 16, 2010

Recent activities

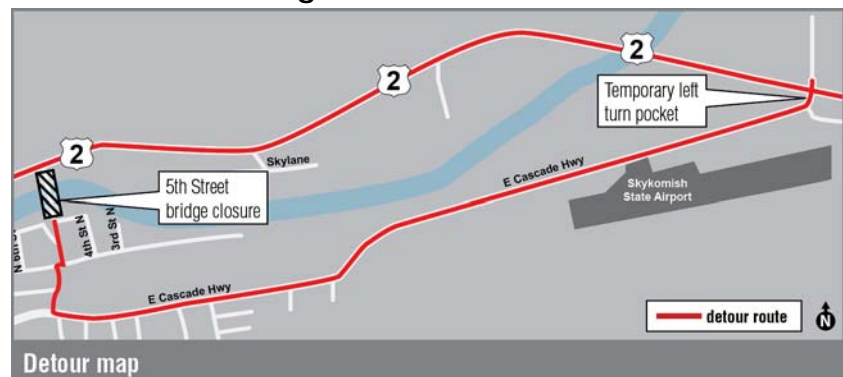
- Northwest Developed Zone (NWDZ) excavation and backfilling was completed and the contamination south on Railroad Avenue was retrieved. Railroad Avenue is now open to two-way traffic in this area and 6th Street has re-opened.
- Crews completed excavation at the Cascadia early this week. Samples came back clean from the area so no further excavation is needed. Backfilling will continue this week and restoration will begin next week.
- A new temporary turn pocket on Highway 2 was added to make access easier to East Old Cascade Highway during the bridge closure. Additional signage will be put in place today or tomorrow.
- Access was closed to East River Road and West River Road from 5th Street N to begin preparation work for the 5th Street Bridge work. Access will remain closed throughout the duration of the bridge work.

What's happening next?

- **5TH STREET BRIDGE CLOSURE – June 21 through June 27**

The 5th Street Bridge will be closed to both traffic and pedestrians beginning Monday, June 21. The bridge is scheduled to reopen on Monday, June 28.

- Traffic will access Skykomish from U.S. Highway 2 via East Old Cascade Highway (see map).
 - Crews will work 24 hours a day, if needed, to complete the required excavation around the bridge abutment. Residents near work zones will notice construction noise, lights, and trucks.
 - During the bridge closure, the Town van will make a run from Town Hall to the gas station and Skykomish Deli at 9:00 a.m. on Monday and Friday mornings, in addition to the regular Wednesday run to Monroe. Contact Town Hall at 360-677-2388.
 - In-river work near the bridge will occur during the fish window, which typically starts July 1, but is dependent on water flows in the river.
- The Community Center was moved to its original location yesterday (June 15). The Town Maintenance building is scheduled to be moved tomorrow and the Ward building will be moved later this week. Foundation work on all three buildings will follow.



Questions or concerns?

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