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Cape Meares Road Relocation September 15, 2023

Construction Activities & Upcoming Work

This week two major milestones were achieved on two separate structural elements of the new roadway. The first shotcrete application at the Geofoam Wall was applied on Wednesday and the first concrete placement at the Soldier Pile Wall will be completed on Friday. Also, roadway aggregate placement in winding down in preparation for asphalt scheduled to begin in a couple of weeks. Truck traffic between the south project entrance and the adjacent Lighthouse Quarry will remain active and construction traffic is expected to be steady on the closed portion of the old Cape Meares Loop for the next several weeks. Therefore, Tillamook County has prohibited pedestrian and bicycle traffic on the old roadway through project completion in Fall 2023.

ROAD CLOSURES

Current road closure points will remain in effect on Bayocean Road near the Cape Meares Lighthouse, and approximately 0.5 miles south of the Lighthouse. Construction will have minimal impact on public traffic as it is closed to through traffic. Please be advised that project limits are now designated by barricades on Cape Meares Loop, coming south from Bayocean Road. See map on the following page for areas not accessible to the public.

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View of roadway aggregate placement near the south end of the project.

Project Website:

<https://highways.dot.gov/federal-lands/projects/or/tillamook-b780-1>

Western Federal Lands Highway Division

Project Number:
OR TILLAMOOK B780
(1)

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Notice to Proceed:
December 6, 2021.

Fixed Completion Date:
October 31, 2023



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Map



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Project location and areas closed off to the public.

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Pictures



View of concrete form placement at the Soldier Pile Wall preparing for concrete placement on Friday.

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View of reinforcement installation on Geofoam Wall in preparation for continuing shotcrete placement beginning next week.



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