

2015 Construction Season

Mount Baker Area - Highlighted Projects



WSDOT projects

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Whatcom County

I-5: Nooksack River bridges painting

- Strip and paint both NB and SB bridges.
- Much of each bridge was painted in summer 2014.
- Crews will work mostly at night, requiring single lane closure with narrowed lanes/shoulders.
- Will likely cause congestion/delays at times.
- Construction: spring to fall 2015.
- Chris Damitio, Project Engineer, 360-788-7403, Damitic@wsdot.wa.gov

SR 9: Van Zandt Railroad crossing – Advance warning system

- Install advance warning signs and replace flashers with LED signal heads.
- Most of the work will be done in the railroad right-of-way.
- Traffic impacts will be minor.
- Construction: spring to summer 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

SR 542: Anderson Creek Culvert replacement

- Remove old fill and culvert.
- Construct bridge and creek bed.
- SR 542 will be closed at Anderson Creek for several weeks.
- Detour via Everson-Goshen Road and East Smith Road.
- Local access on SR 542 will be maintained between Everson-Goshen Road and East Smith Road.
- Construction: July to fall 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

SR 542/547: Intersection Improvements

- Rebuild existing “T” intersection with a full roundabout, remove connector road to the south.
- Both highways will remain open while crews work, but there will be single lane closures.
- This project may cause minor delays at times.
- Construction: July to August 2015.
- Chris Damitio, Project Engineer, 360-788-7403, Damitic@wsdot.wa.gov

Skagit County

I-5: SB Mount Vernon to Joe Leary Slough - paving

- Grind and repave I-5 from milepost 227.08 to 231.20.
- Repave eight on- and off-ramps plus the interchange area at George Hopper Road.
- Work will be done at night, requiring single lane closures with narrow lanes/shoulders.
- Will likely cause congestion/delays at times.
- Construction: July 2015 to fall 2015.
- Dave Crisman, Project Engineer, 360-848-7100, crismad@wsdot.wa.gov

SR 9: Lake Creek - Fish Barrier

- Remove old fill and culvert.
- Construct bridge and creek bed.
- SR 9 will be closed at Lake Creek for several weeks.
- A signed detour via I-5 between SR 534 and SR 538/East College Way will be in place. This detour will create delays of up to 30 minutes.
- Local alternate routes available.
- Construction: July to October 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

SR 20: Burlington Boulevard Railroad Crossing

- Install railroad crossing arms.
- Remove two-way left-turn lane.
- Two way left turn lane work will be done at night.
- Crossing arm installation will require single-lane closures.
- Construction: winter to spring 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

Island County

SR 20: Morris Road to Jacobs Road Safety Improvements

- Eliminate intersections of SR 20 and Parker Road, and SR 20 and Smith Prairie Road.
- Add a two-way left turn lane to SR 20 at the Island County Solid Waste facility.
- Add a left turn lane to southbound SR 20 and a right-turn only lane to northbound SR 20 at Morris Road.
- Add a short merge lane to southbound SR 20 for vehicles entering the highway from Morris Road.
- Realign Parker Road to intersect with Morris Road.
- Parker Road traffic will turn at the new intersection with Morris Road to access SR 20.
- Drivers on Smith Prairie Road will use Parker Road and Morris Road to access SR 20.
- Daytime work will require lane shifts and narrow shoulders.
- Construction: July to October 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

Dugualla Bay Mitigation Site

- Wetland restoration to mitigate work for SR 532 Davis Slough bridge project.
- Restore estuary and wetland.
- Dike Road in Island County will be closed for six months
- Construction: Spring to summer 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

Island/Skagit County

SR 20: Frostad Road vic to Sharpes Corner vic – paving

- Sections of SR 20 between Frostad Road and Sharpes Corner will be repaved.
- The Deception Pass and Canoe Pass bridges will be repaved.
- All work will be done at night.
- Work will require single lane closures.
- The Deception Pass and Canoe Pass bridges will be closed for five nights to all traffic except emergency vehicles. The bridges will be open during the day.
- WSDOT is coordinating project information with major employers, the Navy and Washington State Parks.
- Construction: July to September 2015
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

Island/Snohomish County

SR 532: Davis Slough Bridge replacement

- Replace the Davis Slough Bridge, and raise and widen the highway to the west of the Camano Gateway Bridge.
- Minor, intermittent delays for drivers. Majority of work done off roadway with traffic shift. Some nighttime lane closures.
- Construction: August 2014 to fall 2015.
- Shane Spahr, Project Engineer, 360-757-5856, spahrs@wsdot.wa.gov

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www.wsdot.wa.gov/construction/pugetsound/today.htm

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