



US 12 – Tieton River East and West Bridges – Replacement



Designated Closure Hours

Monday, 7 p.m. – Tuesday, 6 a.m.

Thursday, 7 p.m. – Friday, 6 a.m.

Driver Options

- Call 511 for updated information.
- Delay travel.
- Take an alternate route (see detour map on back.)
- Wait at closure/turnaround points.

Closure/Turnaround Points

Drivers should prepare for winter driving conditions.

Westbound traffic: During designated closure hours, all through traffic will be required to turn around or wait at the Oak Creek Elk Feeding Station. Local and recreational traffic can drive as far as Windy Point campground.

Eastbound traffic: During designated closure hours, all through traffic will be required to turn around or wait at the White Pass summit. Local and recreational traffic can drive as far as Rimrock Retreat.

Important Closure Information

- Road closures are scheduled for Nov. 19 and 23.
- Closures may be shorter than the allotted time; 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.
- Special arrangements have been made for emergency service vehicles.

Project Description

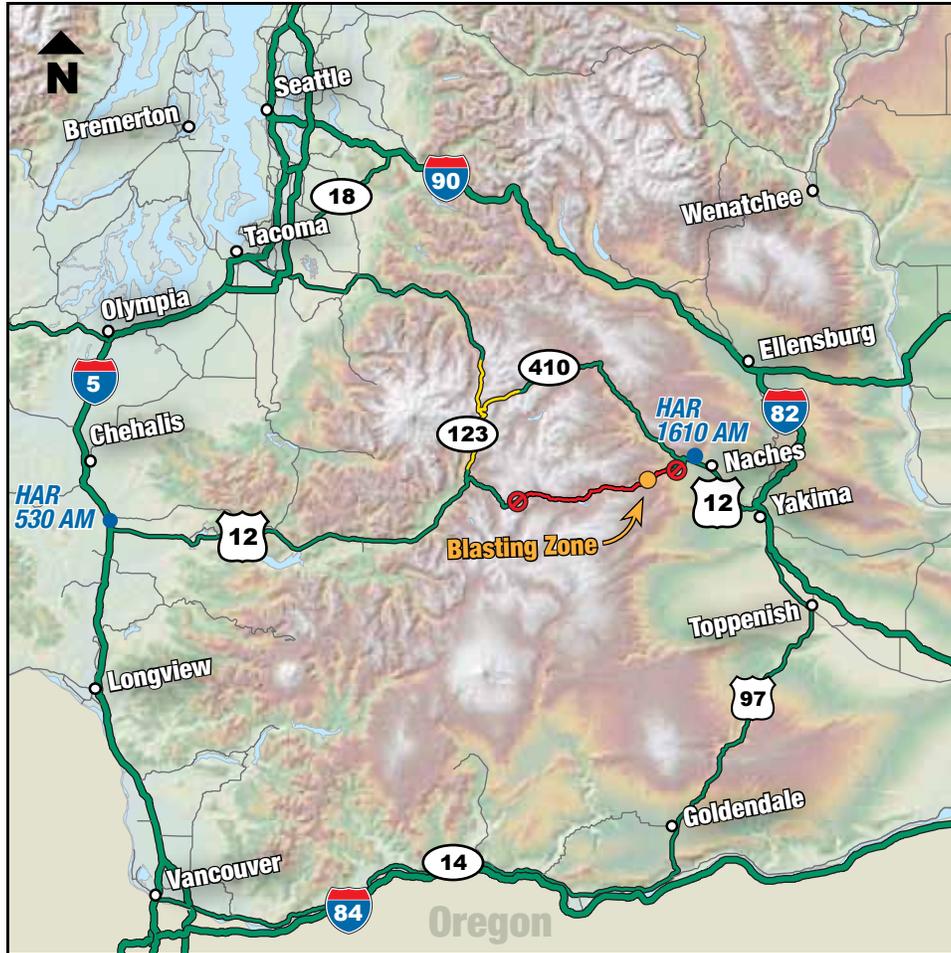
This project is located on US 12, 10 miles west of the US 12 and SR 410 junction. WSDOT will replace two structurally deficient bridges spanning the Tieton River. Crews will construct two new bridges alongside the existing bridges. Blasting existing rock faces will provide the space needed to realign US 12 and connect the new bridges.

Project Benefits

Safety: The new bridges will be wider providing more recovery room for motorists. Blasting steeper slopes will reduce the risk of rocks falling onto the roadway. The new alignment of US 12 will increase visibility for drivers and improve safety, as well as give maintenance crews a safer area for clearing rocks.

Environmental: The project is designed to avoid impacts to the 100-year floodplain. The 100-year floodplain is defined as an area having a 1 percent chance of flooding in any given year. Once traffic is moved to the new alignment, crews will remove the existing roadbed and bridges and restore the area with native vegetation.

Mountain Pass Detours



— Alternate Route

— Road Closure

Ⓢ Turnaround or waiting area

• Highway Advisory Radio (HAR)

— All Commercial Vehicles Prohibited

- Commercial vehicle traffic is prohibited on SR 123 and SR 410 in the Mt. Rainier National Park. WSDOT recommends using I-90 or I-84 through Oregon.

Where can I find up-to-date travel information?

- **Call 511.** Automated traveler information
- **Know before you go.** www.wsdot.wa.gov/traffic
- **Tune to 1610 AM or 530 AM.** Highway Advisory Radio
- **Watch for electronic message signs on the road.**

How to call

- **Dial** “511”
- **Say** “Mountain Pass”
- **Say** “White Pass”
- **Listen**

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