9-DAY CLOSURE
INTERSTATE BRIDGE
SEPTEMBER 2020

CONSTRUCTION TIMELINE

CONSTRUCTION
August 2020–October 2020

Look inside to read about bridge maintenance and traffic impacts.
CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS

August–October 2020

The heaviest impacts will occur during the closure of the northbound span of the bridge September 12-20, 2020 and the following 7-day lane closure on I-5 south. Travelers will also experience traffic impacts beginning in August and continuing through October, including:

NIGHTTIME LANE CLOSURES
Periodic nighttime single and double lane closures will occur on I-5 and on the Interstate Bridge throughout construction.

BRIDGE LIFTS ON I-5 NORTH
Bridge lifts will occur on I-5 north for up to 30 minutes. Travelers should expect delays.

NIGHTTIME RAMP CLOSURES
Periodic nighttime closure of on-ramps:
• SR 14/Washington Street on-ramp to I-5 south in Vancouver.
• Marine Drive on-ramp to I-5 north in Portland.
• Hayden Island on-ramp to I-5 north in Portland.
• North Victory on-ramp to I-5 north in Portland.

9-DAY CLOSURE OF INTERSTATE BRIDGE
September 12–20, 2020

The northbound span of the Interstate Bridge will close September 12-20, 2020 as crews replace mechanical parts that help lift and lower the bridge. During the closure, travelers crossing the Interstate Bridge in both directions will share the three existing lanes and sidewalk on the southbound bridge.

AREA RAMP CLOSURES
During the bridge closure, four ramps in the project area will close for traffic control and to ensure a safe work zone:
• Marine Drive on-ramp to I-5 north in Portland.
• Hayden Island on-ramp to I-5 north in Portland.
• I-5 north to SR 14 off-ramp in Vancouver.
• SR 14/Washington Street on-ramp to I-5 south in Vancouver.

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Heavy traffic, congestion and long delays are expected in the region on I-5, I-205, I-84, SR 14 and local streets in north Portland and south Vancouver during construction.

TRAVEL STRATEGIES
Everyone can help reduce congestion during the closure by using options such as delaying or shifting trips, biking, taking transit, or working from home or another location when possible.

Transit users can take advantage of expedited travel times with Bus on Shoulder programs on SR 14, I-5 and I-205. Visit:
- c-tran.com/bus-on-shoulder
- getthereoregon.org
- getthereswwashington.org
- trimet.org
- bit.ly/c-tran-interstate-bridge-closure

*Please follow all current public health guidelines and recommendations for travel practices.

7-DAY LANE CLOSURE ON I-5 SOUTH
September 21–27, 2020

Travelers will experience a single lane closure on I-5 south at the Interstate Bridge as construction crews remove equipment from the area and wrap up the project. Expect delays traveling into Oregon.

Remember to drive safe and avoid work zone crashes by slowing down, paying attention, and following signs and flaggers.

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