

WEEKLY PROVINCIAL HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION UPDATE FOR Thursday, June 19, 2014

The law is black and white. Slow to 60 km/hr in Work Zones. Fines triple when you are caught.

NEW WORK

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 2 north of Moose Jaw

ESTIMATED COST: \$150,000

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of June 16, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Overhead sign structure installation at approximately one km north of Moose Jaw Highway 2 over Highway 1 overpass.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Local detour is possible, slow to 60 km/hr in the work zone.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: July 4, 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Wakaw Lake Access Road off Highway 2

ESTIMATED COST: \$3.4 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of June 16, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 10 km of gravel overlay with a seal coat driving surface from the junction with Highway 2 to the Wakaw Lake Regional Park.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Minor traffic delays and disruptions, traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area, be cautious and alert.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: July 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 13 over Gainsborough Creek

ESTIMATED COST: \$1.46 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of June 16, 2014

DESCRIPTION: The construction of a bridge on Highway 13 over Gainsborough Creek, approximately 10 km east of Redvers.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic reduced to one lane.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: End of August 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 16 near Viscount and Highway 2 near Young

ESTIMATED COST: \$5.4 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of June 16, 2014 (weather permitting)

DESCRIPTION: Surfacing on Highway 16 from 4.0 km east of Plunkett to 3.2 km east of Viscount; on Highway 2 from 12 km south of Young to Young; and the access roads into Guernsey, Plunkett and Viscount.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays; watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: October 2014



PROJECT/WORK: Highway 55 near Snowden (Culvert Installation)

ESTIMATED COST: \$365,000

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of June 16, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Installation Of two 2000 mm diameter steel pipe culverts through Highway 55, 1.7 km west of the Snowden access.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic reduced to one lane through the work area with traffic lights in place. Watch for possible equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: July 5, 2014

ONGOING WORK

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 1 near Moose Jaw

ESTIMATED COST: \$8.1 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 12, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 29 km of surface repairs on Highway 1 from the junction of Highway 39 to the junction of Highway 2 in eastbound and westbound directions, including on- and off-ramps.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area. Watch for possible detours, expect delays; watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Late Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 1 near Secretan (Bridge Rehabilitation)

ESTIMATED COST: \$2.2 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of April 14, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Rehabilitation of existing piers and replacement of deck girders on Highway 1 westbound bridge over CPR located near Secretan.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic is reduced to one lane with a width restriction of 4.3 metres.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Late Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 1 near Moosomin

ESTIMATED COST: \$4 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: May 28, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Resurfacing work between the Manitoba Border and east of Whitewood.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays. Watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Mid July 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 1 near Secretan

ESTIMATED COST: \$2.26 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 5, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 23 km of surfacing on the westbound lanes from 6.5 km east of the Parkbeg Access Road to the Westside of Secretan including the Mortlach and Parkbeg access roads.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area. Watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: June 27, 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Wakaw Lake Access Road off Highway 2

ESTIMATED COST: \$3.4 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 14, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 10 km of gravel overlay with a seal coat driving surface from the junction with Highway 2 to the Wakaw Lake Regional Park.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Minor traffic delays and disruptions, traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area, be cautious and alert.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: July 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 2 near Meacham

ESTIMATED COST: \$3.3 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: May 21, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 2 km of grading on Highway 2 at three locations from about 2 km to 7 km north of its north junction with Highway 5.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic will be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays; watch for equipment and people working. Motorists should be aware of the potential of blowing dust.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 2 north of Prince Albert

ESTIMATED COST: \$6.1 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: May 26, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 15 km of repaving from 1.4 km north of junction of Highway 2 and Highway 355 at Spruce Home to the south.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane. Expect delays; and watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 2/St. Louis Bridge project (work listed below)

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 2 (Bridge Construction project)

ESTIMATED COST: \$18.8 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: March 2014

DESCRIPTION: Construction of new bridge over South Saskatchewan River near St. Louis.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: This bridge is on a new alignment and will not impact traffic.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Fall 2014

Highway 2 near Hoey

ESTIMATED COST: \$7.6 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 19, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Grading of about 8.6 km from about 10 km south of its junction with Highway 25 to the north and grading of about 1.1 km of a new access road to Hoey (work will take place along 1 km of existing Highway 2, with the remainder of the work taking place along existing municipal roads).

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane. Be aware of blowing dust.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 3 near Mont Nebo (Culvert Replacements)

ESTIMATED COST: \$800,000

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: May 11, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Replace existing culverts under Highway 3 about 2.2 km east and immediately west of the Mont Nebo access road. An additional culvert replacement has been added to this work, located approximately 3 km east of the Mont Nebo access road.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Rough surface - reduced speed required. Detour is no longer in place.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: June 28, 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 6 south of Ceylon

ESTIMATED COST: \$1.8 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 2014

DESCRIPTION: Asphalt overlay on Highway 6 from about 13 km north of the north junction at Minton to about 1 km south of the intersection of Grid 705.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic reduced to one lane. Expect delays.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: July 15, 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 15 east of Kenaston

ESTIMATED COST: \$5.9 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: May 26, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 13 km of surfacing on Highway 15 from 2 km east to 15 km east of its junction with Highway 11.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane. Motorists should be aware of blowing dust.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Fall 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Dalmeny Access Road near Highway 16

ESTIMATED COST: \$20.3 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 20, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 13.5 km of road widening and surfacing on Dalmeny access between Dalmeny and 2.3 km south of the junction of Highway 16.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 16 near Saskatoon

ESTIMATED COST: \$8.8 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 12, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 38 km of surfacing on Highway 16 eastbound and westbound lanes from 9 km north of its junction with Highway 11 to 2.2 km west of its junction with Highway 305.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic will be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 18 near Manitoba Border (Bridge Work)

ESTIMATED COST: \$1.3 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 4, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Construction of new bridge over Gainsborough Creek.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Temporary bridge with traffic signals will be in effect.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: End of June

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 20 near Pilger

ESTIMATED COST: \$6.8 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 19, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Reconstruction of Highway 20 from 1.3 km north of Pilger to the Middle Lake access road as well as surfacing of the Middle Lake access road.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays.

Watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 27 near Vonda

ESTIMATED COST: \$5 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: May 26, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Grading of 15 km from Prud'homme access road to near the west Vonda access road.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic should be prepared to slow down and may be reduced to one lane. Be aware of rough road conditions and the potential for blowing dust.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Spring 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 40 west of North Battleford

ESTIMATED COST: \$4.2 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 11, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Construction of the realignment of approximately 3.5 km of Highway 40 west of the city.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Work adjacent to roadway. Continue to slow down through this area.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Fall 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 42 Marquis to Keeler

ESTIMATED COST: \$6 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of June 10, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 13 km of grading and paving from Marquis to just past Keeler.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Watch for workers and equipment.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Fall 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 48 near Kipling

ESTIMATED COST: \$17.7 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 13, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 25 km of grading, paving and widening of shoulders on Highway 48 between Kipling and the junction of Highway 9 east of Kennedy.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane. Obey flag people.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Late Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 51 west of Major

ESTIMATED COST: \$8 million

START OF THIS YEARS CONSTRUCTION: May 9, 2014

DESCRIPTION: 10.7 km of surfacing on Highway 51 from its junction with the Major access to the junction of Highway 317, and on the Major access road.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic will be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays. Watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Fall 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Red Earth Access Road near Highway 55

ESTIMATED COST: \$4.4 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 26, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 14 km of construction on the Red Earth Access Road from its junction with Highway 55 to the north. Work will include the placement of sand and gravel over the existing surface. Upon completion, motorists will travel on an upgraded, dust-free surface.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane through the work area. Expect delays.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Fall 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 55 and 26 near Meadow Lake

ESTIMATED COST: \$24.9 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 7, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 26 km of grading and paving on Highway 55 from north of junction of Highway 55 and Highway 26 at Peerless to the west; and about 1.4 km of grading and paving on Highway 26 from its junction with Highway 55 at Peerless south.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Allow extra travel time as traffic may be reduced to one lane. Obey flag people. Potential exists for blowing dust. Watch for soft portions and loose gravel.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Late Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 58 near Lafleche

ESTIMATED COST: \$18 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 21, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Grading and paving Highway 13 at Lafleche to Highway 43 at Gravelbourg.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Late Fall 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 106 east of Big Sandy Lake

ESTIMATED COST: \$3.5 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 5, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Construction of surfacing structure on Highway 106 from 19 km east of its junction with Highway 165 to 29 km east of its junction with Highway 165.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane. Expect delays. Watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 302 west of Prince Albert

ESTIMATED COST: \$800,000

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 5, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Washout repair and culvert replacement.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Road closed to traffic due to washout.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: June 30, 2014

PROJECT: Highway 302 east of Prince Albert near Weldon ferry

ESTIMATED COST: \$6.2 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: June 13, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Construction of subgrade and surfacing on Highway 302 from Weldon Ferry landing to 2.5 km northwest.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Watch for equipment and people working adjacent to the road. Most of the work is on a new alignment.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Late Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 305 east of Martensville

ESTIMATED COST: \$22.2 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 20, 2014

DESCRIPTION: About 18 km of grading and paving on Highway 305, between the junctions with Highways 11 and 12 on Range Road 3053, and intersection improvements on Highway 11 at the new location of Highway 305.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic should be prepared to slow down and may be reduced to one lane. Be aware of rough road conditions and the potential for blowing dust.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: Summer 2014

PROJECT/WORK: Highway 361 near Highway 9

ESTIMATED COST: \$4.6 million

START OF THIS YEAR'S CONSTRUCTION: Week of May 13, 2014

DESCRIPTION: Grading and surfacing on Highway 361 from the junction of from Highway 9 to 13 km east.

IMPACT ON MOTORISTS: Traffic may be reduced to one lane. Expect delays. Watch for equipment and people working.

ESTIMATED COMPLETION: July 15, 2014

NOTE: This is a snapshot of various provincial highway construction projects throughout Saskatchewan and can range from capital work, maintenance work to repairs, depending on the significance and length of a specific project. Contractors and crew work schedules can vary. Project completion and traffic opening times are estimates only. Motorists and media can also get additional travel information and details about other construction activities not included on the list above from the Highway Hotline online at www.saskatchewan.ca/highwayhotline and via telephone or wireless device is as follows: Regina and area at 306-787-7623; Saskatoon and area at 306-933-8333; on the SaskTel cellular network at *ROAD; and toll-free across Canada at 1-888-335-7623.