

I RACETRACK BRIDGE REMOVAL SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS

Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is the purpose of the project?

The project will enhance safety along this section of I 90, which has a history of crashes.

2. Where is the project?

The project is located on the east and westbound lanes of I 90, beginning at the Racetrack Interchange (Exit 195) and continuing south about a half mile.

3. What improvements are being made?

Improvements include:

- Removing the abandoned railroad track bridge structures south of the Racetrack Interchange (Exit 195).
- Grading the steep slopes on the side of the interstate.
- Lowering the elevation of the roadway to be closer to the valley floor.

4. What is the project schedule?

Construction is anticipated to begin this April and be substantially completed in the fall. Crews will return in 2024 to chip seal and apply final striping.

5. What should I expect during construction?

During construction, motorists should expect:

- Traffic will be reduced to one lane in each direction.
- East and westbound traffic will travel on the same side of the interstate for approximately 1 mile.
- Speed limits will be reduced.
- Width and length restrictions will be in place (visit www.511mt.net for the most up-to-date information).
- Oversized loads will be staged and piloted through the project area.

6. Who can I contact regarding this project?

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