

AGNESS – ILLAHE ROAD CONSTRUCTION NEWS

TUESDAY, MARCH 09, 2004

Mid December we were nearly complete with the road construction project, which started at Coon Rock Bridge and continued to Foster Bar on the Agness-Illahe Road. This project suffered extreme damage from the rain event, which happen December 14th, 2003. As a result Ladd Construction has returned to the project site to make the needed repairs. These repairs will create traffic delays. At the current time we are not expecting any road closures until May when a few days may be needed. This repair work is expected to be complete by mid May, 2004

These repairs consist of removing pockets of mud and replacing the material with large rock. The mud is being placed in our waste area on the project. The rock is being hauled into the project from multiple sites near Gold Beach. These trucks will run as needed Monday thru Friday. Please watch for these rock trucks.

ROAD DELAY SCHEDULE. *This will pose the following schedule: 1/2 HOUR DELAYS MONDAY thru Thursday 7:00am to 5:30pm. This delay schedule will continue until these repairs are complete. Crews are trying hard to let traffic thru the project at the top and bottom of each hour.*

Due to safety concerns the Forest Service Illahe Campground located in the middle of the project is closed to the public until completion of the project.

Federal Highway has a web page that this and all future newsletters, maps, and project photos will be posted at. The easy web address pointer is www.agness-road.org.

All problems, concerns, and questions should be directed to the Federal Highway Administration's Project Engineer currently located in Gold Beach, OR:

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