



CROWN POINT VIADUCT RESTORATION

Construction Newsletter Update

August 30, 2012

Vista House Open

CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

For the Labor day weekend, beginning Friday, August 31 and ending Monday, September 3, the road will be open to all traffic with no delays. Closures are scheduled to begin Tuesday, September 4. See below for more information.

Last week, the contractor completed pavement sawcutting at various locations throughout the project. Additionally, the contractor has completed other miscellaneous tasks, including the installation of a work containment fence below the viaduct for safety; and removing the electrical wire and conduit from the light fixtures around the viaduct. (Sorry, no more lights for a few months)

Next week, along the road, the contractor will begin milling of the existing pavement, and plans to begin work on deep patch locations. At the viaduct, the contractor will continue to pressure wash and sandblast the existing structure, and plans to begin concrete repair work.



Left: The contractor removes conduit from around the viaduct, while another laborer saw cuts the asphalt adjacent to the curb.

Eventually, a new concrete beam will be constructed in this sawcut area beneath the existing asphalt, and anchored to the existing curb beam.

Road Closed at Vista House

DELAYS AND CLOSURES

The Historic Columbia River Highway will be closed to all public traffic beginning Tuesday, September 04, 2012. The road closure will begin at the Vista House and continue to Latourell Road.

This closure is scheduled to continue until October 1, 2012. During this time, the Vista House will remain OPEN to the public. Due to the road closure, and limited area available to turning vehicles, the maximum vehicle length is being reduced to 25 feet.



Beginning October 1, 2012 and continuing until December 31, 2012, the Historic Columbia River Highway will be closed to all public traffic from Larch Mountain Road to Latourell Road. From October 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012, the Vista House will be closed.

Project Information

Contractor:

- Tapani Underground

Begin Construction:

- July 2012

Completion Date:

- April 2013

Current Work:

**Milling & Viaduct
Preparatory Work**

Work Schedule:

**Tuesday—Friday
7:00 AM—5:30 PM**



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