

Western Federal Lands Highway Division
RIMINI ROAD NEWSLETTER

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Project Description

Rimini Road is located 10 miles west of Helena, MT off of Highway 12. The project begins at the intersection with Highway 12 and extends 6.25 miles south to the intersection with Chessman Reservoir Road. Project improvements include reconstructing three bridges, asphalt paving, guardrail updates, and realignment of 2,000 ft of Ten Mile Creek away from the roadway. Lewis and Clark County will assume maintenance duties upon completion of the project.



Road Surface conditions

The road has been covered with several inches of aggregate. This aggregate will be the running surface for the winter, and will become part of the permanent road structure after paving.



Current and Upcoming Work

Due to issues with aggregate rock quality, the Rimini Road project will not be paved until late spring 2017. The contractor will continue to work through the end of October 2016 to prepare the roadway for winter. Operations to finish out 2016 will include sign installation, approach construction, fencing and gates, guardrail installation, utility adjustment, and aggregate haul. The roadway will be compacted and shaped prior to winter shutdown. The slope revegetation will be completed as well, under a separate contract.



Traffic Delays

Please expect 30 minute delays Monday through Sunday, 8am to 6pm. Traffic will be controlled by flaggers and pilot car during work hours. Construction operations will be shut down for the winter by November 2nd.



The Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for this project is available for viewing at the Project Office of the Contractor, located at the staging area next to Ten Mile Water Treatment Plant.





