

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 six 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

The Rimini Road project is currently in winter shutdown. Due to issues with aggregate rock quality, the road will not be paved until late spring 2017. The revegetation of slopes has been completed by the Forest Service. Work remaining for 2017 will include hauling and placing the remaining aggregate base, cement-conditioning of the aggregate base, and asphalt paving. At this time, an estimated 1-2 months will be required to complete the work.



Traffic Delays

There will be no road work or delays until construction operations resume in the spring. Next year will have similar delays to this past season, 30 minute delays, Monday through Friday.



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.





