



TRAFFIC ADVISORY

Update: Highway 47 detour for culvert replacement

Planned detour for motorists is closed during nighttime hours Oct. 15-19

Crews are replacing a culvert pipe 7.6 miles south of the U.S. 30 (Lower Columbia River Highway) junction. The culvert is just north of Conyers Creek Road. Highway 47 approximately one mile north and south of the culvert site closed Thursday, Oct. 11, and should re-open on Friday, Oct. 19.

During the day, motorists are being detoured for two miles on a logging road that runs parallel to Highway 47. Flagger and pilot cars have been on site at both ends of the detour to direct motorists during the daytime repair work. **The detour will close temporarily each night at 6:30pm and reopen at 5:30am due to foggy weather.**

The detour will allow crews to dig up the roadway, remove soil and the old pipes, install a new culvert pipe, place fill around the pipe and repave Highway 47. The failed culvert was temporarily repaired by ODOT earlier this year.

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