

Traffic Advisory

HIGHWAY CLOSURE UPDATE

As of 4:35 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 9:

*****Highway 6**

The slides have been cleared and **Highway 6 is open to motorists from U.S. 26 to Tillamook**. Please be aware of workers in the area. There may be some delays.

U.S. 26 (Sunset Highway)

A landslide has closed lanes on U.S. 26 at milepost 24.5 (near Quartz Creek Bridge). One lane is open and flaggers are controlling both directions of traffic. Drivers should expect delays.

Highway 35

A section of Highway 35 between U.S. 26, milepost 57, and Baseline Road, milepost 80 will remain closed indefinitely. Heavy rain has sent tremendous amounts of rock, sand and debris onto the highway. Several sections of Highway 35 have been completely washed out.

Motorists should use Interstate 84, U.S. 26 or U.S. 197 as alternate routes.

To view current photos of Highway 35, please visit:

<http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/REGION1/news/photos.shtml/>

****ODOT will provide updates on the condition of Highway 6 as they become available.****

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