

Traffic Advisory

Update: Highway 6 Closed; Debris Flow Warning In Effect

Highway 6 between Timber Road Junction (MP 39) and Donaldson Creek (MP 4) will remain closed until further notice.

The Oregon Department of Transportation closed Highway 6 on Monday, Nov. 6, because of hazardous road conditions, including slides, fallen trees and other debris. Due to ongoing rain and unstable slide areas along the closed section of Highway 6, ODOT will wait until Tuesday, Nov. 7, to evaluate the highway and determine when it can reopen. Drivers are advised to take U.S. 26 as an alternative. ODOT will provide updates on the condition of Highway 6 as they become available.

At 9 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 6, the Oregon Department of Forestry issued a debris flow warning for Clatsop, Columbia, Tillamook, Yamhill and western Washington counties. A debris flow warning means that dangerous, rapidly-moving landslides could take place in the affected areas. Motorists are advised to use extreme caution if they must travel in these areas. The debris flow warning is in effect until at least 6 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 7.

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4:30 p.m.

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