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## **HISTORIC COLUMBIA RIVER HIGHWAY CLOSURE EXTENDED – UPDATE #1**

A rock and debris slide early Wednesday morning on the Historic Columbia River Highway (HCRH) closed the highway approximately three-quarters of a mile west of the Stark Street Bridge. The HCRH will remain closed throughout night. ODOT geologists will re-evaluate the condition of the hillside Thursday morning, Jan. 12. During this closure period, motorists will use Woodard Road as the detour.

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