



US 97: Crooked River Br. - Redmond Unit 2 (12th St. Ext.) Terrebonne, Oregon

Last updated: Fall 2011

Project Components:

- Extend 12th Street north approximately 0.4 miles. The road will be paved its entire length.
- Close five existing driveways to US 97, directing residents to the extension of 12th Street. Two emergency services gates will be installed to access two of the properties.

Location

The project is located north of the intersection of US 97 and Lower Bridge Way. Twelfth Street connects to Lower Bridge Way just west of the intersection. The five driveways that are to be closed are located on the west side of US 97 between Wimp Way and Lower Bridge Way.

Why the project is needed, and what is planned

US 97 is a critical part of the state's transportation system and is generally classified as an "Expressway" and carries a high volume of freight and tourist traffic between Washington and California. It is also an important highway for local commuter traffic. Keeping roads in good condition and providing for safe travel are critical parts of the mission for the Oregon Department of Transportation.

On expressways and major freight corridors, like US 97, vehicles are generally traveling at high speeds. There are multiple accesses along the stretch of US 97 north of Terrebonne that often cause a mixture of conflicting fast and slow traffic, which is a safety issue for both travelers on US 97 and people entering or exiting the highway.

An earlier project, US 97: Crooked River Bridge to Redmond Reroute, addressed some of the access problems. This project will continue to eliminate conflict points by closing an additional five driveways on the west side of US 97 between Wimp Way and Lower Bridge Way. Once the project is completed, residents will access their property by exiting at Lower Bridge Way and then off an extension of 12th Street. Two of the driveways will have gates installed to allow for emergency access.

Timeline

Preliminary Design	2008-2010	Right of Way Acquisition	2010-2011
Final Design	2011	Construction	2011

The contract was awarded a contract to High Desert Aggregate & Paving. Construction began summer 2011 and completed fall 2011.

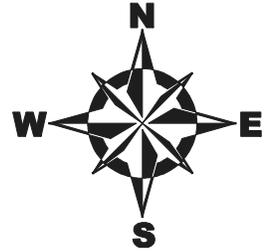
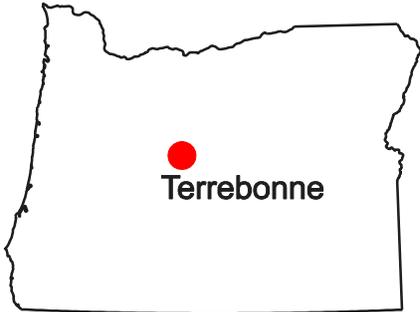
Contacts

Name	Title	Office Phone	Email address
Brian Paslay	Senior Designer	541-388-6447	Brian.D.Paslay@ODOT.state.or.us
Stephanie Serpico	Area Manager	541-388-6309	Stephanie.L.Serpico@ODOT.state.or.us
Rex Holloway	Community Liaison	541-388-6178	Rex.A.Holloway@ODOT.state.or.us

For current information, visit:

<http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/REGION4/US97-CRB-Redmond-12thSt/US97-CRB-Redmond-12thStExt.shtml>

US 97: CROOKED RIVER BR-REDMOND UNIT 2 (12TH ST EXT)



Project Area

