Beltline paving bridge work continues

*Know before you go* as overnight construction on *Beltline Highway* between Roosevelt Boulevard and Coburg Road continues. Work zone locations are updated daily on *TripCheck.com* with the latest information so you know what to expect on your travels. Most work will be done at night and all schedules may change due to weather.

**Work continues on the eastbound lanes of bridges and will begin westbound the week of June 3.** Expect ramp and lane closures, follow detour signs, and slow down for work crews.

**For the first three weeks of the project,** crews are removing pavement from bridges, preparing to replace protective coatings on the bridges, and repaving. There are five bridges east to west, and six west to east.

Paving of the entire roadway will happen later in the summer. Some weekend road closures and detours will used to finish the work as safely, quickly and efficiently as possible.
More work is coming. This summer:

**OR 126 Veneta to Eugene Highway paving and safety improvements project** is scheduled to begin in July. Work will be done at night. The project will include paving between Cornerstone Drive in Veneta and Terry Street in Eugene. A right turn lane will be added at Ellmaker Road, along with two bus pullouts. Centerline rumble strips will be added to the roadway. Shoulder rumble strips will be added where appropriate based on the width of the road shoulder and distance to businesses.

**Interstate 105 (Washington/Jefferson Street Bridge) bridge repair project** will bring four I-105 bridges and ramps between Delta Highway and downtown Eugene up to current standards. The bridges were built in the late 1960s and early 1970s and need repair and upgrades. Work will include upgraded guardrails, deck paving, seismic retrofits, joint replacements, and other repairs. The project is scheduled to begin in late summer. Work will occur day and night. Lane closures and detours will be limited as much as possible, but will be necessary.

We have been working closely with the City of Eugene, Lane County, Lane Transit District, and other partners to coordinate area construction projects and minimize your inconvenience. Each agency will list its projects on [TripCheck.com](http://TripCheck.com). Access for pedestrians, including those with disabilities, and cyclists is available and identified through or around work zones.

Please check routes before you go and expect delays and detours in work zones. You may travel through several work zones. You may need to adjust your route, your time, or try a new way of getting where you are going. Updates on construction will be sent to the mailing list on a regular basis as work continues through the summer.

We appreciate your patience! We promise to get in, get done and get out as quickly as we safely can. The end result will be a safer and more reliable transportation system that connects people and helps Oregon’s communities and economy thrive.