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Blondy Jhune Bridges Construction Update #15

Dear All,

During the past week the bridge beams were delivered to the bridge sites. The detour route was used to make the delivery. In several locations along the delivery route, the trucks left the pavement and left ruts in along the roadway in the White Rock Creek Estates and Forest Creek Estates neighborhoods. The contractor is planning to repair any damaged lawns once all the beams have been delivered. If there is an issue after the contractor makes the repairs, please contact me at the telephone number or email address at the top of this update. Please pass this information on to your neighbors.



*Ruts in Yard*



*West Bridge Looking West*

The four beams at the west bridge have been set and the bridge deck plates have been delivered. After the beams are set, the contractor will form and pour the bridge deck followed by work on the bridge rails. Work on the rails is planned for the first of March.

The deck is a jigsaw puzzle of concrete plates that will be placed on the beams.



*West Bridge Plates*

The roadway pavement reinforcing steel will be tied to the beams and the deck pieces and the roadway pavement poured on top of both.

The some of the beams for the east bridge are on the roadway by the bridge waiting for the abutments to be finished.

The contractor is planning make up some of the lost time, and the estimated bridge openings are still scheduled for mid-May 2017.

Sincerely,

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 Public Works Director/City Engineer