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Blondy Jhune Bridges  
Construction Update #19

Dear All,

Starting Monday, April 24, 2017, at 4:30 AM, the concrete pump truck will be setting up on the west end of the west bridge. The concrete is scheduled to start arriving at 5 AM. I am sorry that this operation is so early. These small paving areas are considered very low priority by the concrete companies. We are somewhat subject to when they want to deliver.

When the concrete cures/dries/sets-up and reaches its design strength, the roadway will be opened to traffic. The contractor is planning on opening the west bridge the week of May 8. The east bridge will be opening a week later. The two main delay factors are availability of concrete and rainy weather.



The rails are finished on the west bridge. The white residue visible in the arched openings is from the slip forms used to create the arches. This is kind of like buttering the pans so that the eggs don't stick.

**Please avoid hanging around the constructions zones. These areas are not safe to the general public, and your safety**

**cannot be guaranteed. The contractor works delinquently to avoid risks, but these locations are dangerous to the general public.**

Sincerely,

Stanton Foerster, PE  
Public Works Director/City Engineer