

# Skykomish Cleanup



## Construction update

June 25, 2009

### Recent activities

- Moved the Martin and Sarno houses to temporary storage locations at the east end of Railroad Avenue.
- Demolished the SkyRiver Inn, former post office building and Skykomish Hotel annex.
- Continued preparing the Bishop house for permanent relocation.
- Rerouted power connections at the 5<sup>th</sup> Street intersection and near West River Road.
- Sampled overburden soil in areas that will be excavated, including part of 4<sup>th</sup> Street. Clean overburden material will be used for backfilling excavated areas.
- Started utility boring under the railroad tracks.

### What's happening next?

- Relocate the Bishop house on Monday, June 29, to its new permanent location on Old Cascade Highway. Traffic will be temporarily interrupted when the house moves across the railroad tracks; flaggers will assist with traffic control.
- Begin Phase 1 excavation. **This means a portion of 4<sup>th</sup> Street in front of the Skykomish Community Church will close on Monday, June 29.** Residents will access their homes on 4<sup>th</sup> Street using East River Road or Railroad Avenue.
- Excavate overburden soils starting on Monday, June 29. Deep excavation (20 to 26 feet) is scheduled to begin the week of July 6. Oil recovery mobilization will begin the week of June 29.
- Continue utility boring under the railroad tracks. Power interruptions are not expected. This work may affect traffic at the 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Railroad Avenue intersection and flaggers will assist with traffic control as needed.
- Continue to prepare Maloney's General Store for temporary relocation on July 9. Crews will move the Store to the former location of the SkyRiver Inn.
- Continue to prepare the Skykomish Hotel for relocation on July 20. Crews will move the Hotel to the former location of the SkyRiver Inn office. This will provide enough room for the temporary bridge ramp that will be constructed when 5<sup>th</sup> Street is closed for excavation.
- The Town of Skykomish will start construction on the community wastewater system in mid-July. Trenching will occur in one lane of Old Cascade Highway and at the intersection of 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Old Cascade Highway.

### Questions or concerns?

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