

# Skykomish Cleanup



## Construction update

October 30, 2008

### Recent activities

- Continued grading Railroad Avenue.
- Completed work on the water main and service connections.
- Continued grouting sheet pile along Railroad Avenue.
- Set lids and covers on HCC vaults. Water near the vaults is from grouting activities, not from the vaults.
- Connected Whistling Post utilities and started moving back belongings. The Whistling Post is having a re-opening party on Saturday, 11/1.
- Continued construction of the HCC system building on Old Cascade Highway.

### Community meeting tonight!

**Thursday, October 30**  
**Maloney's General Store**  
**6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

Learn about 2009 cleanup plans as described in the draft 2009 Engineering Design Report (EDR). The project team will review specific construction activities and impacts, including construction phasing, vehicle access, relocation plans, and 2008 restoration activities.

### What's happening next?

- Place boulders in the Skykomish River upstream of town on Friday, 10/31. Boulders will be delivered to the ballfield and placed in the river by helicopter to enhance fish habitat. This work is weather-dependent and will not be conducted if visibility is poor.
- Pave Railroad Avenue with asphalt-treated base (ATB) on Wednesday, 11/5. This work should take two days.
- Remove the temporary water bypass line.
- Prepare for work on the joint utility trench.
- Continue restoring the Craig house and Whistling Post.
- Restoration work will continue. Crews are still planning to install curbs, gutters and sidewalks.
- Continue grouting sheet pile. This work should take another week and a half to complete.
- During final grading activities, it is difficult to create good pedestrian and traffic lanes. Thank you for your patience and please continue to be safe when walking or driving on Railroad Avenue. Crew members are available to help direct you through town.

### Questions or concerns?

- Call the Skykomish Call Line: 800-228-1849
- Visit the Skykomish Cleanup Web site: [www.skykomishcleanup.com](http://www.skykomishcleanup.com)
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