



# Construction Update – April 24, 2025

<b>Highway and project ID</b>	USH 51 (5845-16-72 & 79)
<b>Project limits, location</b>	Stoughton - Madison Spring Road to Fifth Street
<b>Project length</b>	1.495 miles
<b>Overall schedule</b>	March 24, 2025 – Nov 8, 2025
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**Note:** Updates are shown in red below.

**Project Description:** The work under this contract shall consist of excavation, base course, concrete paving, HMA paving, concrete curb and gutter, sidewalk, storm sewer, water main, sanitary sewer, retaining wall, traffic control, pavement marking, permanent signing, traffic signals, lighting and all incidental items necessary to complete the work as shown on the plans and included in the proposal and contract.

**Overall traffic impacts/holiday work restrictions:** USH 51 will be closed to through traffic. There is an official signed detour for the project that used STH 138, STH 59 and IH 39/90. Emergency access will always be maintained through the work zone for the duration of the project. There are several provisions regarding the maintenance of local and pedestrian traffic through the construction zone during the duration of the project.

The following holiday and special event work restrictions are contained in the contract. No work will occur during the following dates/times that will impede the free flow of traffic:

- From noon Thursday, May 15, 2025 to 6:00 AM Monday, May 19, 2025 for Syttende Mai
- From noon Friday, May 23, 2025 to 6:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 27, 2025 for Memorial Day
- From noon Thursday, July 3, 2025 to 6:00 AM Monday, July 7, 2025 for Independence Day
- From noon Friday, August 29, 2025 to 6:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 2, 2025 for Labor Day
- From Wednesday, November 26, 2025 to 6:00 a.m. Friday, November 28, 2025 for Thanksgiving

## **Work completed since last update:**

USH 51 is closed from east of Spring Road to CTH N. CTH N is open to traffic for north / south crossing but there is no access to USH 51 in either direction at CTH N

The contractors continued to perform work to install the new storm sewer and finished the last of

the storm sewer installation for stage 1 in the past week. They also worked on removing the last of the asphaltic pavement between Race Track Road and CTH N.

**Anticipated work schedule for next week:**

In the next week, the contractors will be concentrating on the grading and aggregate placement for the new roadway. This work will resume just east of Race Track Road and the goal is to complete the grading and aggregate placement for the rest of stage 1 (Race Track Road through the CTH N intersection) in the next week.

USH 51 is closed to through traffic in the work zones and will remain this way for most of the 2025 construction. There is a signed detour in place for the 2025 construction season.