Construction Update – June 12, 2025



Highway and project ID	USH 51 (5845-16-72 & 79)
Project limits, location	Stoughton - Madison Spring Road to Fifth Street
Project length	1.495 miles
Overall schedule	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. The 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, 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 finished the work for grading for the last of the sidewalk and driveways.

The contractors finished pouring the last of the curb & gutter, sidewalk and ramps and

driveways for stage 1. This concrete work is now complete.

The contractors paved some of the smaller driveways on stage 1 with asphalt

The contractors have been working on (and will continue to work on) placing topsoil in the terrace, behind the sidewalk and around the driveways.

Anticipated work schedule for next week:

In the next week, the contractors will be working on the asphalt paving for the sideroads and driveways. This will include CTH N. The contractors hope to complete this work early next week.

The contractors will be removing and replacing one section of the concrete pavement near Spring Road.

The contractors will continue the work of placing topsoil on stage 1 until this work is complete. Once the topsoil work is complete, they will work on installing the new signs for stage 1 and also on the restoration work for the topsoil -i.e. seeding or the placement of sod.

Please note that there will again be flagging operations involved for the operations required at CTH N.

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.