

# Bridge Span Placement Wednesday Night

## I-5 closed, detours planned, night time noise expected

The first bridge span has been set **and crews will place the next span on Wednesday, November 9th, starting at 8:00 pm and completing by 5:30 am on Thursday.** Since the bridge crosses I-5, the bridge span placement needs to take place at night to avoid traffic congestion and to keep workers and motorists safe.

### Night Time Noise

**Lair Hill and South Waterfront residents can expect night time noise** including noise from trucks and cranes, lights powered by generators, and high powered drills. **The most noise is expected between 12:00 pm and 4:00 am when crews will bolt the bridge spans together.**

If you are experiencing unusual levels of noise, please contact an on-site staff member at 503-736-4110. Or you can contact the City's noise control hotline for further assistance with noise issues at 503-823-7350.

### Get Regular Updates

Future bridge spans (there will be six spans total) will take place in November and December. To get updates on the construction, join the project's mailing list to receive email updates. Go to [www.GibbsBridge.org/comment.aspx](http://www.GibbsBridge.org/comment.aspx) to join the mailing list.

### Construction Work Zone and Safety

The contractor will set up a work zone perimeter along SW Hood Avenue and on SW Gibbs Street so they can perform the work. **Pedestrians and vehicles will not be allowed in the work zone.**

- **SW Hood Ave will be closed** between the Ross Island Bridge and SW Curry Street.
- **SW Gibbs Street will be closed** between SW Kelly Ave and SW Hood Ave.
- **SW Whitaker** between SW Hood Ave and SW Kelly Ave (normally one-way westbound) will be **signed for local access only and will allow two-way traffic.** A crew member will be on hand move the traffic barricade at Kelly Street for Whitaker residents so they can access their homes.
- **SW Curry Ave will remain unchanged** between SW Kelly Ave and SW Hood Ave and continue to operate as a one-way street and provide access to the I-5 southbound on-ramp, Highway 43/Macadam Ave and South Waterfront.



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