

US 50 Delta County to Mesa County Resurfacing Project

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Colorado Department of Transportation will resume work on April 20 along US Highway 50 from Whitewater to Delta. Elam Construction of Grand Junction is the contractor for this project.

The settlement repair project will take place on US 50 beginning at Mile Point 47.6 and will continue for more than 19 miles to MP 66.7 near Delta. During the 2021 construction season crews worked on full depth reclamation at multiple locations, lane level paving, top mat paving, guardrail installation and striping. Additional work was added to the original contract to complete necessary improvements on the eastern end of the project. This construction season crews will finish additional milling and hot mix asphalt top mat paving, shouldering, rumble strip installation, install remaining guardrail, removal of crossovers and striping.

PROJECT BENIFITS

The HMA will add approximately 10 years of life to the highway, provide a smoother road surface and will eliminate ruts and road damage. This will allow for a smoother and safer drive for motorists.

Other benefits of the project include installation of new guardrail that will be 31 inches high, designed to meet new safety standard requirements. The higher railing will help veering vehicles remain on the road more effectively, making the highway safer for the traveling public. The former standard height of guardrail was 27 inches.

PROJECT SCHEDULE

Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The project has an anticipated completion date the beginning of June.

TRAVEL IMPACTS

Motorists should plan for single lane closure.





CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have questions or concerns or if you would like to be added to our public outreach contact list to receive construction updates, please contact us!

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