



# I-5 AT I-84 REHABILITATION PROJECT

## Banfield Interchange Bridge Deck

### Major closures to Interstate 84 ramps connecting to Interstate 5 this summer

ODOT is replacing the concrete and steel on the ramps that carry 147,000 vehicles on an average day. This work is needed to keep these bridges functioning for you for decades to come.

### Why do the bridges need to be closed for two weeks?

After crews complete repairs to the bridge joints, remove existing concrete and place new concrete, the concrete will need time to cure before traffic uses the bridges. Currently, we expect curing time to take at least three days. Placing traffic on the bridge before the concrete has time to cure will result in rapid deterioration of the new surface. That results in wasted time and funds and more closures in the future.

### Rehabilitating the busiest interchange in the state means closures

**147,000 vehicles a day** on average travel through I-84 at I-5.

**1964:** I-84 at I-5 interchange opened.

**1995:** The last time concrete was replaced at the interchange.

**2018:** Two week closures on each ramp in July and August for new concrete and steel joints and rail.

**5 a.m. to 11 p.m. expect gridlock** on I-84 and nearby streets during ramp closures during the multi-day closures.

**July-December 2018** is when construction is occurring.

Three of the bridges will close 24-hours a day for up to two weeks. In addition to the two week closures, ramps will close overnight from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. and possibly for full weekends through November. Dates posted on [i84Construction.org](http://i84Construction.org) when available.

### How will these closures affect my commute?

During the closures, we expect delays from 5 a.m. to 11 p.m. on I-84 and surrounding interstates. Travelers should consider alternative transportation.

### Will city streets see congestion during the closures?

City streets will also see delays due to people avoiding the backups on I-84. Even if you do not use I-84, expect to see congestion on the city streets that you depend on every day.

### WHAT TRAVELERS CAN DO



Telecommute



Adjust work schedule to avoid peak period of travel



Avoid the area



Take transit



Ride a bike



Take a vacation

## I absolutely must drive this route and plan to sit in the traffic. What are the detour routes?

During the ramp closures, travelers do have the options of following detours that will take you to your destination using the available ramps and Interstate 405. But it will be a long, frustrating drive.

## What is ODOT doing to help deal with the expected gridlock?

We are working with the City of Portland, Multnomah County, TriMet and C-Tran to address the increase in congestion on alternate routes. Details about how we plan

to help our streets work better during the closure will be available in early summer.

## Where can I sign up for construction updates and learn more?

[www.i84Construction.org](http://www.i84Construction.org)

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## Work schedule

### RAMP CLOSURE WORK

2018

	June	July	August
<b>I-5 northbound to I-84 eastbound</b> Seal deck and replace 14 bridge joints		Nighttime closures could start as early as the week of Jun. 11 from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.	
<b>I-5 southbound to I-84 eastbound</b> Concrete overlay, repair bridge rail and replace 16 bridge joints		Potential nighttime closures 10 p.m. Sun., Jul. 8 to 5 a.m. Mon., Jul. 23	
<b>I-84 westbound to I-5 northbound</b> Structural concrete overlay, repair bridge rail and replace 14 bridge joints <b>ON-RAMPS CLOSED:</b> All on-ramps to I-84 westbound between I-205 and I-5		10 p.m. Wed., Jul. 25 to 5 a.m., Mon. Aug. 6 Only one lane open on I-84 from Lloyd to I-5 from 10 p.m. Jul. 27 to 5 a.m. Aug. 2	
<b>I-84 westbound to I-5 southbound</b> Concrete overlay, repair bridge rail and replace 14 bridge joints <b>ON-RAMPS CLOSED:</b> All on-ramps to I-84 westbound between I-205 and I-5		10 p.m. Fri., Aug. 17 to 5 a.m. Mon., Aug. 27 Only one lane open on I-84 westbound from Lloyd to I-5 from 10 p.m. Aug. 17 to 5 a.m. Aug. 27	

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