#23040 Sackum Overhead Bridge Replacement

Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure

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Sackum Overhead No. 01491

- Originally built in 1958
- Located along the Trans-Canada Hwy 1, 13 km’s south of Spences Bridge, BC
- Trans-Canada Hwy 1 (Fraser Canyon) connects the lower mainland to Hwy 97 (Cariboo Connector), acting as:
  - a major truck route, which is important to the Provincial Economy;
  - a popular route for tourists;
  - an alternative route from the Hwy 5 (Coquihalla Highway); and,
  - an important route for Fraser Canyon communities.
- Existing structure has reached the designed life span and needs to be replaced
Project Objectives

Existing structure is 60 years old and has been recommended to be replaced.

Scope of work includes:

- Construction of a new two-lane structure adjacent to existing structure
- Removal of the existing structure
- Improved highway alignments on either side of the new bridge
- Construction of new access to family cemetery with improved and safer highway intersection