

HIGHWAY 8 INFORMATION & UPDATES

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Ministry of
Transportation
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or email highway8.information@gov.bc.ca

HIGHWAY 8 CORRIDOR RECOVERY PROGRESS

The November 2021 Atmospheric River damaged sections of Highway 8 that have been broken into 24 sites. Work continues on permanent repairs to the damaged sites to restore them to full capacity and make them more resilient to extreme weather.

Planning and design work for priority sites along the Highway 8 corridor is in progress. Construction on permanent repairs at sites 1 to 8 will be starting this fall and will be complete in late fall to winter. Permanent repairs will start at sites 20 to 22 this winter.

The procurement process is underway for the permanent repairs at sites 9 and 10 with design work anticipated to begin in fall 2024.

WATCH FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION SIGNAGE

The corridor will see new construction signage installed over the next month. Signs will be installed at the eastern and western sections of each site identifying the site number, based on the map below. Additionally, large signs will be placed at either end of the corridor showing the map of the sites and updates on which sites are in active construction.

For up-to-date information on construction:



Call

1-855-425-9416



Visit

gov.bc.ca/highway8recovery



Email

highway8.information@gov.bc.ca

When construction starts, the new 1-855-425-9416 number will be updated weekly with construction updates and traffic delays.

Hwy 8 Active Construction Site Signs

HIGHWAY 8 ACTIVE CONSTRUCTION SITES			
SITE 1	SITE 11	Weekly Construction Updates:	
SITE 4	SITE 18	1-855-425-9416	
SITE 5	SITE 19	Highway 8 Current Status:	
SITE 6	SITE 22	www.drivebc.ca Call: 311	
		Project Information:	

HIGHWAY 8 ACTIVE CONSTRUCTION SITES		
SITE 1	SITE 7	SITE 19
SITE 4	SITE 12	SITE 21
SITE 5	SITE 14	SITE 22

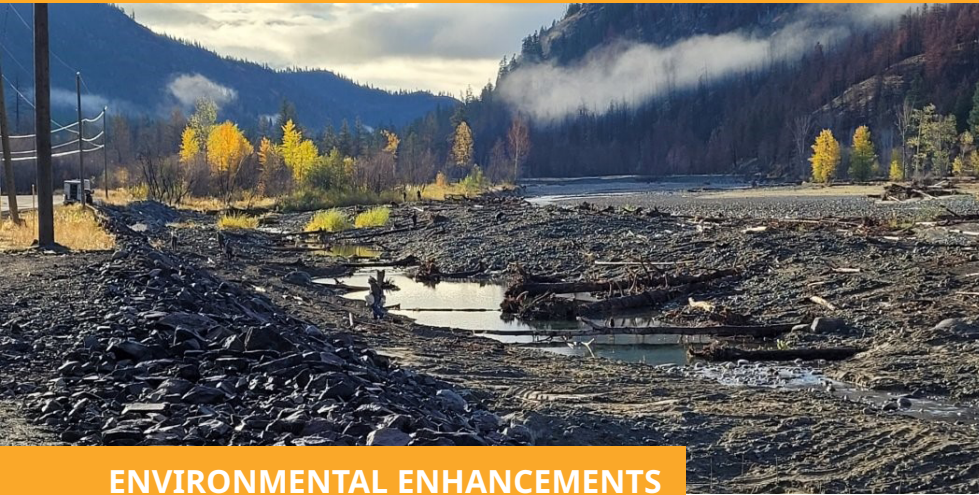
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CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION AHEAD
PULLOUT ↗

○ — Location of Corridor Signs With Maps



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ENVIRONMENTAL ENHANCEMENTS

Priorities for environmental enhancements along the Highway 8 corridor have been identified in collaboration with Indigenous leadership and technical staff.

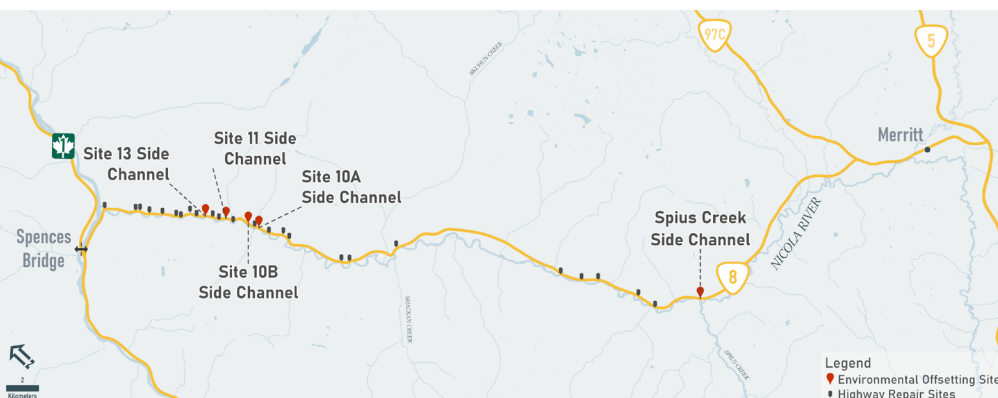
This work will meet regulatory requirements from the Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada, and includes improving habitats for young fish by using wood debris and rock clusters to create areas with calmer water and planting vegetation along the riverside and side channels.

These measures will improve ecosystems and help support local fisheries. The effectiveness of these enhancements will be monitored to determine their success and meet environmental permitting requirements.

FUTURE ENVIRONMENTAL WORK

Five priority sites have been identified for environmental work. These sites are shown on the map below and include:

- Spius Creek Side Channel
- Site 10A Side Channel, 14 km east of Spences Bridge
- Site 10B Side Channel, 14 km east of Spences Bridge
- Site 11 Side Channel
- Site 13 Side Channel



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Thank you for your patience.

