

Construction Update E MONTPELIER Route 14 Bridge – week of November 27, 2017

Hello,

The 133-foot temporary bridge that will be used during the VT 14 bridge reconstruction project, beginning in spring 2018, has been assembled and rolled into place over the Winooski River in the village of E Montpelier. Once the steel frame was up, the contractor installed steel panels for the deck.

Next week the contractor, CCS Constructors, will complete the bridge installation by paving the deck and approach roads leading to the bridge. The contractor expects to work over the holiday weekend (Friday, Nov 24, and Saturday, Nov 25) to be ready for paving.

All work on US Route 2 is completed for the season.

Construction activities on this project will occur outside of the roadway and is not expected to affect traffic.

The posted speed limit will remain 25 mph as the area remains a construction zone. Please watch for flaggers who will assist motorists traveling through the work area.

It is illegal in Vermont to use any portable electronic handheld devices while driving. The law carries fines of up to \$200 and points assessed if driving within a work zone.



Construction workers are putting the 20-foot sections of steel together to form the temporary bridge.



The temporary bridge is a few dozen feet downstream of the existing bridge.

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