

## **VT 14 E Montpelier Bridge Project Construction Update week of October 8-12**

Next week (Oct 8-12) the contractor, CCS Constructors, Inc., will continue building the new VT 14 bridge. The contractor will:

- Pour concrete for the bridge wall/rail
- Prep and pour sidewalk and curb off the ends of the bridge
- Prepare roadway for pavement on each end of the bridge

### **Traffic impacts:**

- Motorists on US Route 2 and VT Route 14 should expect short, intermittent delays and one-lane travel as dump trucks and concrete trucks enter and exit the work site
- When the contractor pours concrete for the north sections of the bridge wall/rail, there will be alternating one way traffic on VT 14

### **Coming up...**

Beginning Sunday, October 14, the contractor will begin night work (7 PM to 6 AM) to complete work on VT 14 for about 1 ½ weeks. Alternating one way traffic will be run during the night work.

The night construction will include the following:

- Removal of pavement and concrete
- Installation of new drainage pipes and structures
- Placing and compaction 4' of new subbase material
- Paving of base and binder (tentatively scheduled for 10/23/18)

Also, the bridge deck may get paved at night and line striping done the night before the bridge is opened.

Please watch out for flaggers and **EXERCISE CAUTION WHILE TRAVELING THROUGH THE WORK ZONE.**

Motorists are advised that the speed limit is 25 m.p.h. and speeding through a construction zone can lead to increased fines.

**It is illegal in VT to use any handheld portable electronic devices while driving. The law carries fines of up to \$200 with points assessed if the violation occurs in a construction zone.**

More information on the project is available on the project website, [www.vt14emontpelier.vtransprojects.vermont.gov](http://www.vt14emontpelier.vtransprojects.vermont.gov). People who would like to receive weekly construction updates should contact the project's community liaison, Jill Barrett, by telephone 802-272-1248 or by email, [jbarrett@fhiplan.com](mailto:jbarrett@fhiplan.com).