



Notification Number: 202002

Area: Service

Release Date: July 7, 2020

Re: SSP Bridge Shutdown Schedule

SSP appreciates your business. We have been discussing that the first 38 miles of our network is undergoing significant rehabilitation between 2019-2021. By this time next year, we will have replaced nearly 18,000 ties, 14 bridges will have been replaced or rehabilitated and 13,000 tons of ballast will have been distributed. The benefits to all of us will be increased safety, speed, and reliability across the network.

Bridge replacement & rehabilitation is work that will inhibit the flow of traffic. As previously noted, the network is shut down South of Spangle, WA for the month of July. We would like to provide the current and entire WSDOT schedule for 2020 bridge replacement & rehabilitation:

- Bridge work to be conducted in 4 phases:
 - Phase 1: 07/01 – 07/31
 - Phase 2: 09/15 – 10/01
 - Phase 3: 10/09 – 10/30
 - Phase 4: 11/09 – 12/01
- All traffic South of each phase will be held out until work is completed
- The accompanying chart depicts anticipated network status based on the WSDOT approved schedule, which is subject to change

SSP Railway management will be visiting with customers individually to further discuss your needs so we can work around track closures.

SSP Bridge Shutdown Schedule (continued)

The employees of SSP thank you for your business and trusting relationship. If you desire any further information or clarification, please contact me.

Regards,

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