

Project Update

Start Date: September 2005

Contractor/Contracts: Caliber Systems Inc.

Proposed Completion: September 2007

Percent Complete: 8%

Completed Activities

Traffic has been moved to the new detour.

On November 17, 2005, an information session was held at St. Ambrose School to give the public an opportunity to see plans for Stoney Trail / Crowchild Trail Interchange. Approximately 130 individuals were in attendance.

Project Status for January / February 2006

Construction has shut down for the winter and will resume in the spring when the frost is out of the ground.

Underground utilities, including Atco Gas and Enmax, will be relocated in late March or early April. The Enmax line will first be relocated slightly to accommodate the bridge construction and then will be relocated its final position north of the current intersection, toward the end of construction.

Next Steps

Construction of the Stoney Trail / Crowchild Trail Interchange bridges is expected to begin in March 2006.

Construction Information

With the detour in place, construction can begin on the bridges along Crowchild Trail. Once this construction is completed, traffic will be moved back to the original alignment on Crowchild Trail.

During construction, the speed limits along Stoney Trail and nearby roadways may be reduced. Major closures or detours are intended to occur only during off-peak hours and detour signs will be posted to assist motorists.

Drivers should be aware that fines were doubled for speeding in a construction zone as of October 31, 2005.

For more information on this project please call (403) 716-8198 or email transportation.calgary@stantec.com.