Project Update

Start Date: November 1, 2005

Contractor/Contracts: PCL - Maxam, A Joint Venture

Proposed Completion: July 31, 2007

Percent Complete: 5%

Completed Activities

The contract to complete construction of the interchange, roads and bridges was awarded to PCL-Maxam, A Joint Venture. The contractor mobilized in November 2005.

Project Status for January / February 2006

Bridgeworks continue on the two bridges crossing the Trans-Canada Highway, both on the north and south sides of the highway and in the center median. Construction on the bridge pier between the eastbound and westbound lanes began in January 2006. Please watch for construction traffic entering and leaving the median area at these two bridges.

The contractor’s first priority will be to construct bridge foundations, including the centre piers. This work will take place in the centre of the Trans-Canada Highway. Watch for lane jogs on the Trans-Canada Highway. This work will be ongoing throughout the winter, weather permitting.

Roadworks are also underway. Please watch for trucks entering and leaving the site from Stoney Trail and 101 Street NW.

Earthworks are being hauled from the Stoney Trail / Scenic Acres Link Interchange construction site to the Stoney Trail / Trans-Canada Highway Interchange site.

Next Steps

Excavating will continue throughout the construction process. Bridge construction will continue until the proposed completion date of July 2007.

Construction Information

Speed reductions will be in place and off-peak lane closures will be required for girder erection in 2006. On occasion, nighttime work and associated detours and lane closures will be necessary. Signs will be placed to notify motorists in advance.

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

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