



Extended Closures of Highway 1 near Golden – May/June 2021

March 2, 2021

Kicking Horse Canyon Project Phase 4 construction will require extended multi-day closures of the Trans-Canada Highway (TCH) east of Golden from May 17-21, May 25-28 and May 31-June 1 during the spring 2021 shoulder season. The extended closures are in addition to the April 12 to May 14 extended multi-day closure announced in mid-January. Construction activities being carried out cannot be performed safely in the presence of traffic or during shorter interruptions. During these periods, Trans-Canada Highway traffic will be routed via Highways 93 and 95, which will add up to 90 minutes to travel time.

The construction zone will be opened to local/commuter traffic, escorted by a pilot vehicle, during one half-hour period in the morning and one half-hour period in the afternoon. Similar escorts will be provided for local school buses. Please see initial details below.

Further updates will be provided in advance of the closure.

The closure is part of a traffic-management strategy developed in consultation with the community and key stakeholders. This strategy is designed to minimize travel disruptions during the peak summer and winter travel periods by having as much work as possible done at night and other off-peak periods. For day-to-day updates, please visit [DriveBC](#).

What to Expect



Timing

- 12:00 noon May 17, 2021 to
12:00 noon May 21, 2021
- 12:00 noon May 25, 2021 to
12:00 noon May 28, 2021
- 5:00 am May 31 to 7:00 am June 1



Hours of Work

Active construction 24 hours a day.



Traffic Impacts & Accommodation

- All TCH traffic will be routed via Highways 93 and 95, with the following exceptions:
 - School bus on Golden-Field route will be escorted by a pilot car through the project site daily: morning school bus from Golden at 6:45 am, return from Field to Golden at 8:15 am and afternoon school bus from Golden at 3:15 pm, return from Field to Golden at 5:00 pm.
 - Local/commuter traffic will be escorted by a pilot car through the project site daily, between 7:00 am and 7:30 am and 4:30 pm to 5:00 pm
 - Emergency vehicles in response mode will be escorted by a pilot car anytime on 15 minutes notice.
- Roadside signage will provide advance notification of the closure and alternate route.

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