



# The Sea-to-Sky Highway Improvement Project

## CONSTRUCTION BULLETIN

August 23, 2006

### Bridge construction moves access to Shannon Falls parking area

Construction crews will begin tree clearing on or about August 26 in preparation for construction of a new northbound Shannon Creek bridge. The new bridge will be built adjacent to the existing bridge, located approximately 4 km south of Squamish. Initial bridge construction is expected to begin the week of September 5.

The access to Shannon Falls parking area will change on or about September 5, 2006. Park visitors will access the parking area through the former entrance from Highway 99. The existing access over the new bridge will be restored before the Victoria Day long weekend in 2007.

Impacts to the travelling public are expected to be minimal during this construction. If you have any questions regarding construction-related noise please call 604-629-8283

#### Construction schedule

Week of September 5, 2006	Bridge construction begins with substructure work
October 15 - end of December, 2006	Construction of bridge abutments, installation of girders
March – May, 2007	Installation and completion of superstructure
May, 2007	Bridge construction ends -- existing access restored

Sea-to-Sky Highway improvements through Shannon Falls Provincial Park will include widening the existing highway to a four-lane divided highway with a separate left-hand turn lane. Improvements also include widening existing four-way signalized intersection to accommodate four lanes of traffic. A centre median barrier will be constructed as a safety feature through the four-lane section.

If you have any questions or comments about the Sea-to-Sky Highway Improvement Project or this bulletin, please contact Pam Tattersfield, Community Relations Officer at 604 -898-2117 or by email at [pam.tattersfield@gov.bc.ca](mailto:pam.tattersfield@gov.bc.ca)

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