

MON/FAYETTE EXPRESSWAY

Construction Activity Weekly Updates



Planned Construction Activities for the Week of October 19, 2026

SECTION 53B1A WEST MIFFLIN/DRAVOSBURG, ALLEGHENY COUNTY

Contractor: Trumbull Corporation

1. Work Shift

- The standard work shift is 6:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday to Thursday. Friday and Saturday shifts will be used as needed.

2. Traffic

- **Camp Hollow Road** – Construction traffic will enter and exit Camp Hollow Road near the new roundabouts.
- **Curry Hollow Road** – Some deliveries and construction traffic will be via Curry Hollow Road near the WMSSA Pump Station.
- **Pitt McKeesport Boulevard / Richland Avenue** – All traffic will be shifted to a single lane in each direction. Concrete Barrier will be placed to protect work area. Access to homes will be available at all times. There will be No Access to Third, Fourth, Beech Alley, Fifth, Hickory Alley and Sixth Streets from Richland Avenue. **Travelers should use Euclid Ave for access.**
- **Northbound Richland Avenue** – Travelers should exit the ramp at the end of the Mansfield Bridge to Maple Ave.
- **Southbound Richland Avenue** – Travelers should exit Elizabeth Road down to Maple Ave. Left turn to Euclid Ave.
- **Northbound Richland Avenue Bus Stop** – There will be a bus stop near Spee-D-Mart. Follow pedestrian detour signs for southbound side bus stops.

3. Roadway and Bridge Work

- Sediment basin construction is ongoing.
- **Bridges 411A/B (Mainline Bridges over Curry Hollow)** – Pier foundations, stems, caps. Abutment 2 drilled shafts, shoring for pier excavations.
- **Bridge 413D (Ramp to/from 43 Toll Road)** – Abut 1 and Abut 2 stems and wingwalls
- **Bridge 412 (Pitt/McK over URR)** – Demolition of northbound side to begin once traffic is shifted and barrier is installed.
- Constructing toe keys to support embankments.
- Diverting water around the old Sandy Lake Area.



Interchange connector bridge - construction progress.



NEW DRONE VIDEO

Throughout these weekly updates, you have seen construction progress along the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission's Mon/Fayette Expressway in Allegheny County. We would now like you to come along for an exclusive ride as we show you an aerial progress report of the first three construction sections being built.

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- Blasting of rock to begin - For all blasts, 5 minutes prior to blasting the contractor will give 3 horn alerts of 15 seconds each. 1 minute prior to blasting- 3 horn alerts of 10 seconds will be sounded. 30 seconds prior to blasting, a series of short horn alerts will be sounded up to the time of detonation. After the blast, the area will be checked, and a horn will be sounded for 15 seconds to indicate that “all is clear”.

4. Noise/Dust/Runoff Control

- Erosion control measures are installed and will be modified as construction advances. The erosion controls will be maintained as necessary.
- Diversion ditches have been constructed to take runoff water to sediment basins.
- Sediment basins hold water for settlement and slow dispersion.
- A street sweeper is on-site and will be used clean local roadways when needed.
- Water trucks are on-site and will be utilized to control dust when needed.



MF-411AB bridge over Curry Hollow Road - Abutment 2 drilled caissons.

5. Trespassing on Construction Site

- The construction being performed in this area is a Limited Access Right-of-Way owned by the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission. The construction areas are posted with No Trespassing/Private Property signs. **No pedestrians, ATVs or motorcycles should be entering the area.**
- Violators may be prosecuted under Section 3503(b)(1)(ii) which forbids criminal trespass.

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SECTION 53B1A – ESTIMATED COMPLETION DATE: Fall of 2029.

Learn more about the Mon/Fayette Expressway by visiting the project website.