

May 30, 2008

Bridge repairs begin on Highway 43 east of Mayerthorpe

Mayerthorpe.... Bridge repairs begin May 30 on Highway 43 westbound over the Paddle River, located 9 kilometres east of Mayerthorpe. Traffic will be reduced to one lane starting the first week of July, with occasional detours onto the eastbound lane during day light hours. The open lane will be a minimum 5.0 metres wide. Work is scheduled to be completed by Sept. 30, weather permitting. The project includes concrete bridge deck replacement, pier modifications and other concrete repairs at a cost of \$2.5 million.

Motorists are asked to use caution in the area and obey all signs and flag people. Motorists are reminded that fines for speeding are doubled through construction zones when workers are present.

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