Confluence Parkway Due Diligence Status Update

Related to environmental review of the Confluence Parkway Proposal and impacts to Confluence State Park

July 18, 2022

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Next Steps

July 5

Present Noise Study Evaluation
Results to Board of Commissioners

July 18

Status update and next steps

Fall/winter

Work with City of Wenatchee to draft the terms of mitigation measures

Fall/winter

Coordinate with City of Wenatchee to prepare mitigation drawings and technical specifications early in the planning process for inclusion in the design-build procurement package

- Develop and implement bridge design features to minimize noise effects and to enhance aesthetics
- Include our wildlife experts in ongoing environmental reviews/comments

Fall/winter

Prepare Noise Abatement Criteria Category A proposal for review by Federal Highway Administration and Washington State Department of Transportation

Fall/winter

Provide formal comments after Environmental Assessment and Section 4(f) Evaluation is published



The City of Wenatchee's Schedule for its Confluence Parkway Project

Task	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
FHWA NEPA Complete Summer-Fall 2022					*					
Begin 30% Design										
Final Design, Environmental Permitting & Right of Way Acquisition										
Construction Funding Obligation										
Construction										



