

Demolition of the Pier is Underway

Reed & Reed started to remove the connecting pier this week. Last Friday (1/19/18) they moved a barge with a crane into place to start taking down the pier. This Tuesday (1/23/18) Reed & Reed began demolishing the part of the pier at the end of the causeway. After they removed a few sections on Tuesday and Wednesday, much of the remainder of the connecting pier collapsed Wednesday night. The collapse was anticipated by Reed & Reed since the concrete deck was in poor condition. They will continue to work on removing the remainder of the connecting pier over the next week.



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Work is continuing to prepare the material storage and processing area. Ray Labbe and Sons has completed the road into the processing area from the Mitchell Field access road and has the processing area just about ready to start receiving material from the pier removal. They are now working on building the haul road from the pier up to the processing area. That work will be completed early next week. This means that we could begin to see an increase in trucking on the Mitchell Field access road. So please be extra careful if you are walking on the road when work is occurring.



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The construction area has been totally fenced. It is important for everyone's safety that no one enters the construction area except on official business – this includes when there is no activity at the site. It is also important to keep dogs out of the work area and on-leash if you are on the main road. Please help make this a safe project for everyone.



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The main road to the waterfront in front of the Administration Building is now closed to all traffic except construction vehicles. There is a sawhorse blocking the road at the back of the Administration Building. Please do not try to drive down to the waterfront past this barrier. Parking is available behind the Administration Building – this parking area will be kept plowed this winter.



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