GORDIE HOWE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE

Construction Activities: United States

Week of June 24, 2019

Dates and times provided below may change due to weather conditions and other factors affecting construction activities. Although this list is intended to be comprehensive, unavoidable emergency road detours and road closures may occur. Please watch for workers along this corridor. We apologize for any inconvenience and thank you for your patience.



Construction Activities

US POE

•Clearing is almost complete. DTE will decommission the remaining poles this week. Grubbing is ongoing and will be followed by site grading. Demolition of some sidewalks are planned to start next week. Assembly of site offices will be complete by mid-July.

Michigan Interchange

· Geotechnical drilling work on I-75 is now complete. SUE (sub-surface utility exploration) work will be complete mid-July. Utilities relocation work by the WDBA is ongoing also.

US Bridge

· BNA and their deep foundation subcontractor, Malcolm Drilling, successfully completed the installation of the US Test Drilled Shaft last week. This is the first major scope of construction on the job and is a critical step in finalizing the Main Span tower foundation design. Once the concrete is strong enough for testing, BNAs foundation subcontractor anticipates performing the O-cell test during the week of July 1. This test comprises of four massive hydraulic jacks at the very bottom of the test shaft to measure the load resistance of the bedrock. Upon completion of this test, BNA designers will finalize the tower foundation so that work can commence later this summer.



Preparatory Activities

· Work onsite at the location of the US Main Span Tower has begun with mobilization of the drilled shaft subcontractor. Within the next couple of weeks, tools and equipment will be set up onsite as well as crane booms will be visible in the air as we get closer to starting the drilled shaft installation work. Afterwards, there will be lots of work ongoing related to installing the deep foundations that will last through the summer in this location.