

Hello,

Next week (Tuesday, May 30, and Wednesday, May 31) the Vermont Agency of Transportation's contractor, Renaud Bros, will complete reconstruction of the emergency access ramp located at milepost 5.75, south of Exit 1 in Brattleboro. The contractor will pave the ramp to accommodate wider turns by emergency responders who may need to use the ramp while the US 5 bridge is closed for four weeks during reconstruction.

One I-91 southbound lane will be closed during the day and reopened evenings. Travelers on US 5 may experience short, periodic delays to allow trucks and equipment access to the ramp area.

Also, next week the contractor expects to begin delivering stone to stabilize the banks of Broad Brook in preparation for bridge construction. Motorists should watch flaggers who will assist trucks driving in and out of the bridge construction site.

Please drive with care through the construction zone. It is illegal in Vermont to use any handheld portable electronic devices while driving. The law carries fines of up to \$200 with points assessed if the violation occurs in a work zone.

Best regards,

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