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Lyme-East Thetford Bridge 14460 Rehabilitation Project



Aside from the blustery winds that can make the site frigid, the mild February weather has helped the Lyme-East Thetford Bridge Rehabilitation team continue progressing on the bridge.

Please remember that the bridge and work area are closed to motorists, pedestrians, and bicyclists 24 hours a day, seven days a week. This closure is in place for everyone's safety.

Project Milestones

Crews have completed the majority of the formwork on bridge deck span two (New Hampshire side) and are halfway through formwork on bridge deck span one (Vermont side).

What to Expect this Month

In order to complete repairs to the existing structural steel, crews are awaiting the arrival of additional structural steel pieces. Once the structural steel pieces are delivered, crews can complete these repairs. Once these repairs are complete, crews can install the remaining bridge deck formwork in anticipation of placing bridge deck concrete in the spring.

In addition to the deck formwork, crews will begin to reconstruct the Vermont abutment. Reinforcing steel will be repaired and replaced as needed, and formwork will be installed for the placement of new concrete.

Recent progress photos are below!



Deck formwork progress



Deck forms going into place



Span one deck forms



Cofferdam forms



View of the bridge work in progress



Bridge closure sign

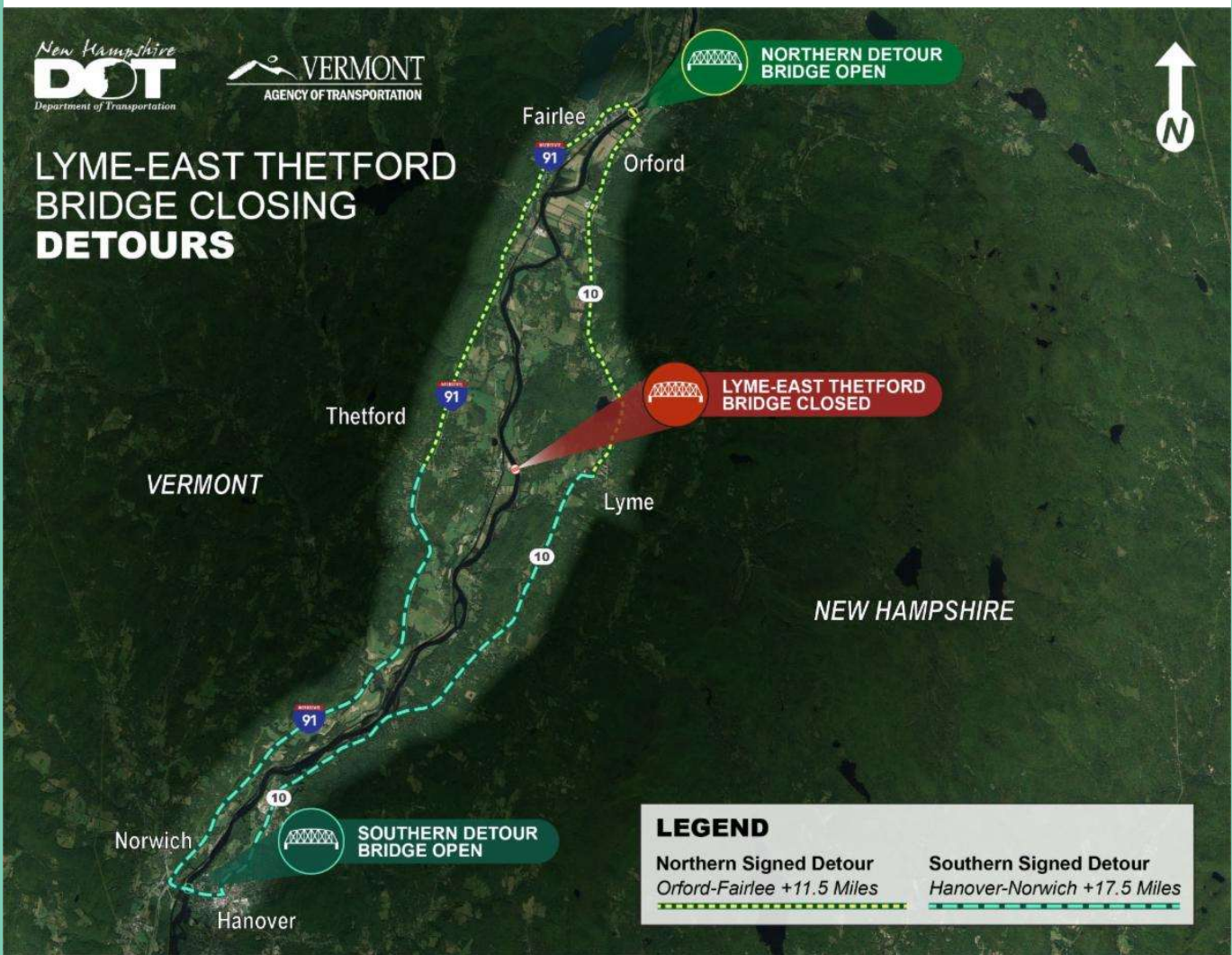
Detour Reminder

Throughout the 18-month Lyme-East Thetford bridge closure, there are two NHDOT signed detour routes in place. A detour route to the north takes vehicles along NH Route 10, then crosses the Connecticut River between Orford, NH and Fairlee, VT and continues along Interstate 91 south in Vermont. The other detour route to the south takes vehicles along NH Route 10, then crosses the Connecticut River between Hanover, NH and Norwich, VT and continues along Interstate 91 north in Vermont.

Businesses on either side of the bridge remain open for business!



LYME-EAST THETFORD BRIDGE CLOSING DETOURS



Have Questions? Contact the Project Team

If you have any questions throughout the project, please reach out to the project team. The project email address can be found below or on the [project website](#).

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