

Commercial Vehicle Safety & Enforcement

Commercial Transport Department

NOTICE

To All Permit Issuers, Industry and the General Public

Overall Width Restriction During Construction on the Carolin Bridge on Highway 5

To Whom It May Concern:

Construction on the Carolin Bridge on Highway 5, approximately 25 km north of Hope, will impact the overall width (OAW) that the structure can accommodate. Construction, which will include concrete repairs, bearing replacements and resurfacing of the bridge deck, has begun and is expected to end in October 2019.

As a result of the work and a need to put counterflow in place to accommodate heavy weekend traffic volumes, the following restrictions will be in place:

- Vehicles/loads up to 3.8 m OAW can be accommodated anytime
- Loads from 3.8 m up to 5 m OAW will not be able to travel from 8 am Friday until 8 pm Sunday for the duration of the project.
- Extraordinary Load Approvals beyond 5 m OAW will require advance notice but should be able to be accommodated Sunday to Thursday. Carriers may contact Dorosh Construction Group Ltd. to discuss when the site may be able to accommodate travel:

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Aside from the exceptions noted above, permit conditions and travel times found on the CVSE1000 and CVSE1001 continue to apply.

Carriers with loads between 3.8 m to 4.4 m OAW will be able to use alternate routes or plan to travel around the Friday-Sunday limitations. Carriers with vehicles/loads between 4.4 m to 5 m OAW do not have a preapproved alternate route to use during the Friday-Sunday limitations and will need to adjust travel plans accordingly.

Additionally, CVSE would like to remind drivers to use caution, slow down and obey traffic signs while traveling through construction zones.

Please direct any questions or concerns about the OAW restrictions for the Carolin Bridge to commercial.transport@gov.bc.ca.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jan Lansing".

Jan Lansing
Manager, Commercial Transport