

The “Department Reports” from DOT for November 1, 2022, are listed below:

- We completed chip seals on the East Side Rd., East Fork Rd. (north of the lake), Reading Creek Rd., and Tom Bell Rd.; a total of about 16.5 miles. (see attached photos of operations).
- In the next few week crews are replacing the fire damaged culvert on Red Hill Rd., in Junction City; and several culverts on the Ruth Zenia Road. Construction on Red Hill Road requires some traffic modification and potential brief closures, crews will coordinate as needed.
- Dyer construction is removing the rocks on Canyon Creek Rd. their planned completion is November 4, 2022. The work requires complete road closure for several hours at the time, the contractor is coordinating with the local residents about safe passage times during the operations (see attached photos and video).
- Continuing work on the plans and specifications for Rush Creek Road safety project which will install high friction surface on curves to eliminate/reduce road departures and for drivers to regain control while on the pavement. Continue working with CalOES on several site repairs due to past fires/storms, including project extensions from FEMA for repair funding.
- Working on a routine (all-inclusive) maintenance agreement with the department of fish and wildlife, which will expedite future routine maintenance activities by the county, which currently require lengthy approval for the individual permits.
- Engineering started to explore several options/configurations for the transit parking area adjacent to Lance Gulch Road. We plant to complete plans and specifications with County engineering staff.
- Continue work with FEMA to remove portions of E. Weaver Creek out of flood plan adjacent to lumber mill.
- After open recruitment and interviews Bret Clayton was selected to be the Fleet (shop) supervisor. The previous fleet (shop) supervisor retired last August.

- Regional Transportation Plan Update; after the BOS presentation on November 1, 2022, staff and the consultant will continue the required public informational meetings prior to final approval in January 2023.
- We were informed that Caltrans ordered the signs “Trinity County Where We Honor Veterans” and is waiting for delivery and will install them at all County entrance roads as approved by BOS on October 5, 2021. If things work out, ... we may have some installed by the end of January 2023 ....

If you have any questions please let me know.