

The “Department Head Reports” from DOT for the March 7, 2023, meeting are listed below:

- The Willow Creek and Redding routes are back to five days a week; Transit is still seeking applicants for driver positions.
- (Dyer Construction is making progress on the rock anchor installation. The revised project completion date is expected in May 2023.) Due to recent snow storms impeding Dyer’s work schedule this week (2/27 – 3/3) and possibly continuing into next week, this project completion date will have to be revised as necessary.
- (DOT Developed of a new notification system (currently in BETA version). Working with IT, DOT staff has a new phone extension that is dedicated to sharing information with interested parties. A caller may call the main office line, select the ‘road updates’ extension and select from several items to receive current information (530-623-1635 Ext. 8). To date, this BETA version has been functional for Canyon Creek updates only. However, we are continuing to develop the system to cover additional locations we anticipate will require public notifications. These additional road locations are anticipated to be available the week of March 13.
- The DOT is continuing to advance both the Good Neighbor Authority/Agreement (GNA) with USFS staff as well as the Strategy Plan – both are BOS Ad Hoc assignments. No progress to report at this time.
- Caltrans has programmed the reconstruction of four culverts in the Weaverville area that are slated for construction in 2028. These projects are in the preliminary design/planning phase and will be noticed as Caltrans proceeds through their design/planning process. These culverts are located on Hwy 299 at West Weaver Creek, Hwy 3 at East Weaver Creek, Hwy 299 at Sidney Gulch (USFS compound) and Hwy 299 at Garden Gulch (near the courthouse. DOT staff has participated in early planning discussions.
- DOT road crews have been diligently attending to road opening and plowing in response to snow storms throughout the county. Any road safety, snow plowing or road closure comments or complaints should be

directed to the DOT “report a problem form” (found here: <https://www.trinitycounty.org/DOT-Problem-Report>) or by calling the main office at (530) 623-1365 to speak with administrative staff. *Comments received by DOT administrative staff are immediately forwarded to the personnel responsible for the subject matter. DOT maintains a record of all reports, both those received by phone or through the online form.*

If you have any questions please let me know.