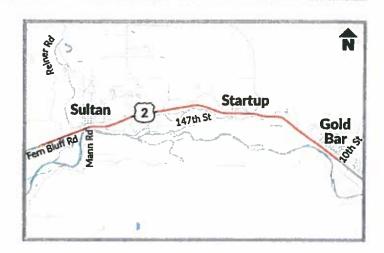


# **US 2**

## Fern Bluff Road to 10th Street Paving Project



#### What is WSDOT doing?

Lakeside Industries will repave an eight-mile section of US 2 between Sultan and Gold Bar starting in spring 2017. The \$4 million project will add a new layer of asphalt to the highway in both directions starting at milepost 21 just west of Fern Bluff Road in Sultan and ending near 10th Street in Gold Bar. The project will also upgrade several pedestrian crossings in the area to meet current federal standards.

### Why is WSDOT repaying US 2 through Sultan and Gold Bar?

It has been almost 15 years since this stretch of highway was last paved, and the road is in need of an upgrade. About 18,000 vehicles use this corridor every day, a sizeable portion of it being large truck traffic. There are cracks, ruts and potholes in many places along this section of US 2. Repaving this area improves driver safety, eliminating places where water could pool and freeze. This work also extends the life of the roadway and reduces the potential of costly emergency maintenance repairs and unexpected closures.

#### More information

#### **Project website:**

www.wsdot.wa.gov/Projects/US2/FernBluffto10thPaving/

#### How will the work affect drivers?

Contractor crews will kick the project off sometime in late May or early June 2017. Drivers should expect overnight lane closures on US 2 between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m. Sunday through Thursday. The project is scheduled to be completed by October 2017.

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