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Trail Creek Bridge closures on Highway 43 rescheduled for August and September

WISDOM – The Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) has rescheduled the closures to replace two of the Trail Creek Bridges near the May Creek Campground on Highway 43 west of Wisdom. The closures are scheduled to take place the weeks of August 23 – 26 and September 13 – 16. The road will be closed 24 hours-a-day (Monday through Thursday). The road is expected to reopen to traffic on Friday morning during each closure.

MDT had initially scheduled the bridge closures in July, but the Trail Creek Fire that was started by lightning on July 8 caused a postponement in order to allow fire crews to respond.

"We've been coordinating with local fire agencies, and the Trail Creek Bridge construction closures have now been rescheduled," said MDT Engineering Project Manager Jeff Harrison. "We'll continue to update the community if any changes take place. The MDT travel info website is another great resource to view the most up-to-date information on road conditions and closures in the Big Hole Valley and statewide."

For the very latest information on the closures, and other road conditions around Montana, visit the MDT travel info website: https://roadreport.mdt.mt.gov/travinfomobile/

MDT will update the public as the project area reopens. To sign up for construction email updates, text HWY43 to 22828. Questions and comments can be sent to Brandon@rbci.net or by phone at (406) 284-1500.

For more information on the Trail Creek Bridges Project, visit:
https://www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/hwy43/

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