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Good morning,

Next week, Schellinger Construction and the Montana Department of Transportation are continuing construction on the South of Stevensville Safety Improvements project. As crews continue to move north, traffic patterns should stay similar to prior weeks.



*Photo from construction in summer 2021.*

Schellinger's crews are working their way up the project area from Bell Crossing. Current construction activities largely consist of culvert installation. Culverts are piping underneath the roadway that allow for movement of water/debris and act as load-bearing structures. Expect one lane of travel in two-mile work zones throughout the week as crews conduct pipe work between North Birch Creek Road and Pine Hollow Road and reduced speeds at night. Drivers should continue to practice caution on this stretch of roadway 24 hours a day.

If you are a landowner and need to contact the project team regarding fencing, utilities, or anything else relating to your land, please let me know. We're here to help.

Weekly updates will be provided every Friday throughout construction. If you have any questions or concerns, please email me at [amy@bigskypublicrelations.com](mailto:amy@bigskypublicrelations.com) or call the project hotline at (406) 207-4484, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Text updates are also available. To register, text STEVENSVILLE to 41411.\* More information on the project can be found at <https://www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/southstevi/>.

Best,  
Amy Aiello  
Big Sky Public Relations on behalf of the Montana Department of Transportation

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