

# Construction coming to SR 108 for fish barrier removal

## Background:

The Washington State Department of Transportation is helping fish move through streams by removing barriers. This project is part of WSDOT's commitment to improve access to fish habitat in western Washington.

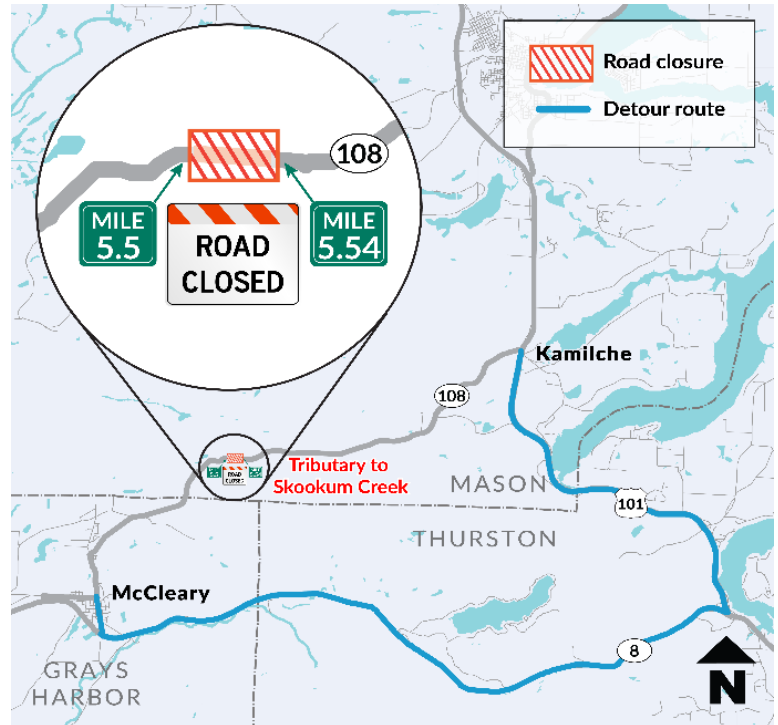
## Project overview:

In 2023, WSDOT will fix two barriers under State Route 108 in Mason County. Old culverts here are blocking migration for salmon and steelhead. WSDOT will use new structures, called box culverts, that will allow fish to move more freely. This work will happen during the summer months and fall months and will cause highway closures.

## What to expect during construction:

- Construction work on State Route 108 will start in early August.
- **Closure Dates:** An around-the-clock total road closure will be in place **between 8 a.m. Tuesday September 5 - 8 a.m. September 19.**
  - **Location:** Milepost 5.5 on SR 108. Closure locations are at two unnamed tributaries to Skookum Creek (See map).
- **Closure Dates:** An around-the-clock total road closure will be in place during **October 2023**. WSDOT will announce the closure once it is scheduled.
- **Location:** Milepost 9.47 on SR 108. Closure location will be at Kamilche Creek.
- Crews will close SR 108 for two weeks at a time, 24 hours a day, to complete the work at each location.

During each closure, travelers will detour via US 101, SR 8 and SR 108. Construction is weather-dependent and subject to change. Before and after each total closure, travelers can expect occasional one-way alternating traffic. Expect heavy equipment to enter and leave the work zone.



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