



CITY OF THE DALLES
Department of Public Works
1215 West 1st Street
The Dalles, Oregon 97058

PRESS RELEASE

DATE: April 9, 2026
TOPIC: New Utility Service Installation Project on Old Dufur Road
CONTACT: City of The Dalles Public Works Department (541) 296-5401
FOR RELEASE: IMMEDIATELY

The Dalles, Oregon – On Monday April 13, 2026, the City of The Dalles Public Works will begin work on Phase 1 of new utility service installation projects located on Old Dufur Rd.

Phase 1: **A partial road closure will remain in place during work hours from April 13 - 21, 2026. A traffic message board will be in place at the intersection of E 10th St. and Old Dufur Road that says "1 LANE ROAD AHEAD, UP TO 20 MINUTE WAIT".**

Flaggers will direct vehicles, bicyclists and pedestrians safely through the work zone as equipment use allows.

Work hours are from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on each scheduled work day. The traveling public is advised to use alternate routes when possible. The road will reopen at the end of each working day.

On Monday April 20, 2026, City crews will begin Phase 2, repair of the paved area where new utility services were installed.

Please proceed with caution in this area during street closures. Please observe all temporary traffic control devices. Thank you for your attention to traveling safety during this work.

No parking will be allowed within the project areas to allow room for large equipment to safely work. No parking signs will be placed on road side 48 hours before the project moves into each work area.

If you have questions, please contact the Public Works Department at (541) 296-5401. For media inquiries, contact Amie Ell, Public Information Officer at amell@thedalles.gov.

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