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Exit 102 New On Ramp  
April 21, 2023



Looking south down the new ramp, Grondin crews are shimming with Type D gravel.

**Contractor:** R J Grondin & Sons

**Bid Amount:** \$3,118,309.00

**Percent Complete last approved pay estimate:** 24.9 %

**Project Schedule:** Completion date November 10, 2023.

**Project Scope:** The work consists of highway construction in the Town of West Gardiner, Maine at the Exit 102 Interchange. The work includes a new southbound ramp and the removal of the existing southbound ramp, Route 9/126 mill and overlay with shoulder reconstruction, demolition bridge underpass, pavement, signing, guardrail, highway lighting, and maintenance of traffic.

**Contractor Schedule:** About 75% of the ramp has been constructed up to the base gravel layers. Grondin is working on removing shoulder pavement in order to build the gore. They have built majority of the ditches, backslopes, and inslopes along the new ramp. The electricians have been working on running conduit and installing junction boxes for the highway lighting. Crews are also working on widening Route 126 for the turn lane. On the old Exit 102 bridge, crews are installing shielding in preparation for the bridges demolition after the new ramp has been built.