Contractor removing blasted ledge from the NB plaza approach

**Contractor:**  Reed & Reed, Inc.  
**Bid Amount:**  $ 39,484,431  
**Percent Complete last approved pay estimate:**  11%

**Project Schedule:** Completion date June 21, 2021.

**Project Scope:**  
The Project consists of highway, structures, building and site work required to construct a new toll facility. The work at Mile 8.8 consists of constructing six (6) open, high-speed (70 mph) E-ZPass center lanes (3 in each direction) with overhead open frame gantries with electronic toll collection equipment, nine (9) cash lanes with toll booths (4 northbound and 5 southbound) with canopies, reconstruction of mainline to accommodate approach and departure lanes at the new toll plaza, construction of a precast pedestrian tunnel for employee access and utilities, driveway from Chases Pond Road, parking lot and Administration Building.
The work includes earthwork, pavement, concrete, signing, overhead sign structures, concrete barrier, guardrail, mechanical work, electrical work, lighting and lightning suppression systems. The work also includes the installation of tolling equipment in the tunnel, canopy, and toll booth, maintenance of traffic and all other work incidental thereto in accordance with the Plans and Specifications.

**Contractor Schedule:** Reed & Reed has completed blasting for the widening areas, the tunnel, and the toll building. RJ Grondin continues to process blasted ledge for gravel to be used on site. Pre-cast tunnel sections will be arriving by the end of April. Contractor plans to install the tunnel sections as soon as they arrive on site.