

**2021.08  
Project Update  
Portland Area Widening  
MM 46.4 to MM 49.3  
December 19, 2022**



Installing Median Drainage at Exit 47 looking north

**Contractor:** Shaw Brothers Construction, Inc.

**Bid Amount:** \$ 24,378,093.45

**Percent Complete last approved pay estimate:** 46.7%

**Project Schedule:** Completion date October 27, 2023

**Project Scope:** The work consists of constructing a third travel lane northbound, a third lane southbound, and reconstructing the grassed median to a paved median on the Maine Turnpike in the Towns of South Portland and Portland, Maine, and an overhead sign structure disassembly and removal in Scarborough, Maine. The work includes embankment construction, roadway gravels and pavement construction, culvert and closed drainage installation, concrete median barrier construction, concrete median pier protection, bridge abutment slope protection, overhead sign structure removal, overhead sign structure installation, roadway signing and striping, highway lighting, guardrail, and maintenance of traffic.

**Contractor Schedule:** Shaw Brothers has completed installing median barrier between Exit 46 and the Stroudwater bridge. The contractor is installing median drainage between the Stroudwater Bridge and MCRR Bridge. Once the drainage is complete they will fine grade the median area and begin installing the median barrier. Work will be suspended for the winter.