

2021.08
Portland Area Widening II (PAW 2)
MM 46.4 to MM 49.3
July 21, 2023



Project leadership reviewing the reinforcing steel for the Overhead Sign Structure Foundation

Contractor: Shaw Brothers Construction, Inc.

Bid Amount: \$ 24,378,093.45

Percent Complete last approved pay estimate: 76.3%

Project Schedule: Completion date November 14, 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: The contractor has completed the majority of the work on the outside of the roadway with only signage, lighting, and clean up work remaining. The focus of the work has shifted to the median where they will continue installing drainage, median barrier, and paving through the remainder of the construction season.