2021.07 Project Update Exit 45 Interchange Reconfiguration June 17, 2022



Looking west at the recently replaced exit 45 bridge deck.

Contractor:CPM ConstructorsBid Amount: \$ 27,673,714.90Percent Complete last approved pay estimate:66.0%

Project Schedule: Completion date September 1, 2023

Project Scope: The work consists of highway, bridge and toll system construction at Exit 45 South Portland Interchange. The work includes a new bridge, new southbound and northbound ramps, a new southbound toll plaza on the west side of the Maine Turnpike with a signalized intersection and a new northbound toll plaza on the east of the Maine Turnpike, Route 703 reconstruction, demolition of the existing toll plaza and bridge.

Contractor Schedule: CPM crews continue to make progress on the Exit 45 bridge. They are currently forming the abutments at the east and west ends of the bridge. The paving and earthwork subcontractor, Shaw Brothers, continues to pave ramps and plaza approaches at all locations. Their crews are grading slopes and placing loam and seed as site work progresses. The administration buildings for the north and southbound plazas are progressing as well. The HVAC systems have been started and the interior finishes are ongoing.