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PRESS RELEASE

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BRIDGE 11C0057 OVER SALT CREEK ON COUNTY ROAD 306 CLOSURE

Effective 6:00 pm on January 9, 2023, the Glenn County Public Works Agency, closed Bridge 11C0057 over Salt Creek on County Road 306, just south of County Road 200, in both directions due to undermining of the roadway at the bridge approaches. On January 10, 2023, K-Rails were installed, preventing access to the bridge and message boards were placed alerting drivers of the closure.

A request for technical assistance for a bridge inspection was submitted to California Office of Emergency Services and Cal-Trans. Cal-Trans Structure Maintenance & Investigations conducted an initial inspection on January 10, 2023. Due to the significant undermining of the roadway at both bridge approaches caused by scour and erosion, and the history of extensive scour at all of the supports, Caltrans Structure Maintenance & Investigations issued Record of Critical Findings on January 11, 2023, recommending the bridge be CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC.

The bridge will remain CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC until the approaches can be rebuilt and the entire substructure can be accessed for evaluation.

The Glenn County Public Works Agency has been in contact with Caltrans Structure Maintenance & Investigations and will perform routine inspections of the channel to determine when the flow of water has subsided to the point where the substructure can be accessed for evaluation.

We understand the impacts of this closure to the residents in the community, however, the safety of our residents and motorists is priority.

For additional information, please go to our website <https://www.countyofglenn.net/dept/public-works/road-bridge-maintenance/news> or call at 530-934-6530.

Map of the closure including detour and photos are attached.

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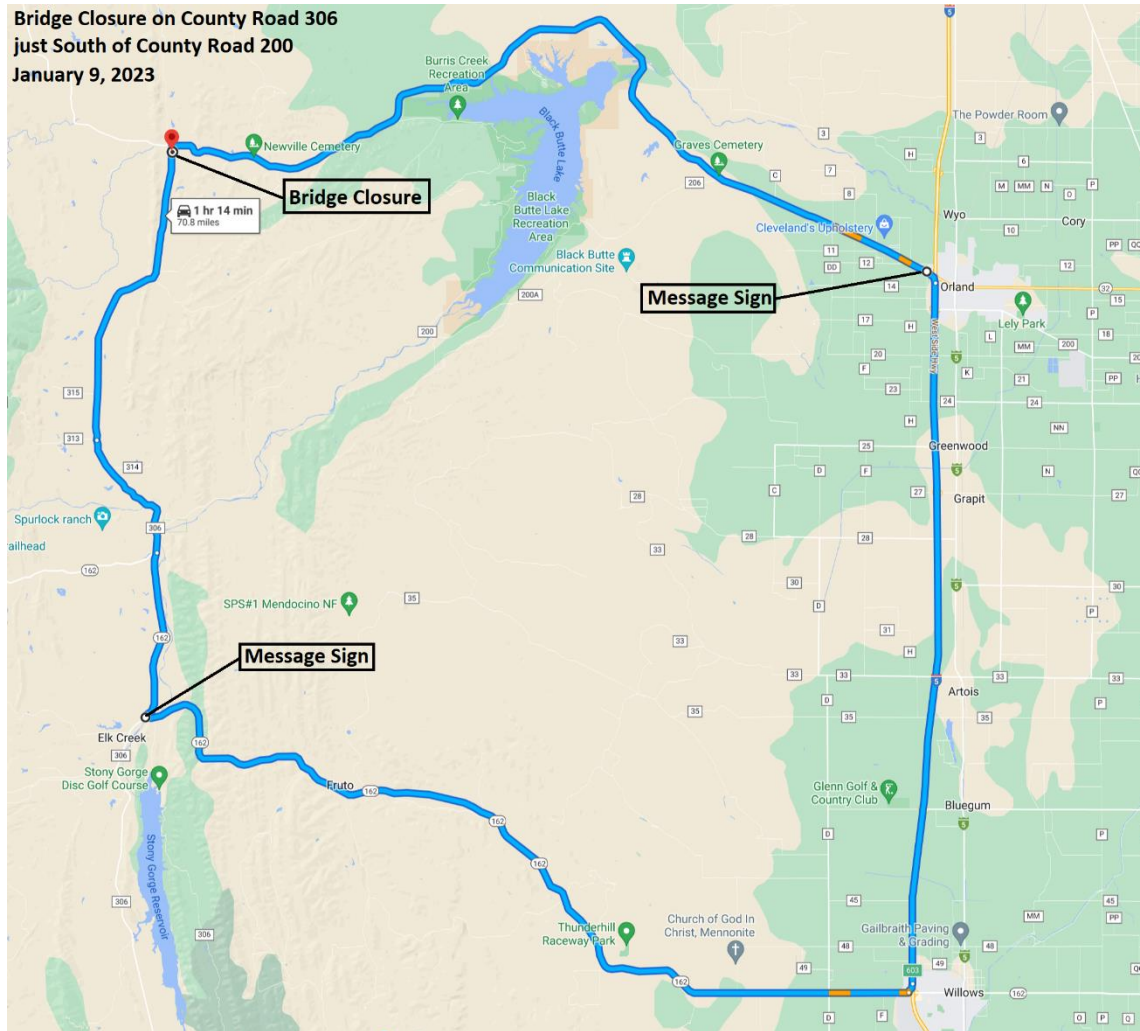


Figure 1 - MAP OF CLOSURE

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Figure 2 - BRIDGE 11C0057 LOOKING SOUTH

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Figure 3 - BRIDGE 11C0057 LOOKING SOUTH

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Figure 4 - BRIDGE 11C0057 LOOKING NORTH

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Figure 5 - UNDERMINING OF BRIDGE APPROACH

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