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BOX CULVERT REPLACEMENT TO BEGIN IN HAVERHILL
IMPROVEMENTS TO CLARK POND ROAD NEAR BRIAR HILL ROAD

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces the start of a project to replace an 8-foot wide by 4-foot high concrete box culvert on Clark Pond Road near the intersection with Briar Hill Road in the Town of Haverhill.

Work is expected to begin on Monday August 15, 2005 with the removal of the existing box culvert. A steel 6-foot by 4-foot pipe arch will be installed in its place.

Clark Pond Road will be closed to through traffic at the Briar Hill Road intersection on or about August 15, 2005 at 6:00 am until August 16, 2005 at 5:00 pm. Traffic will be detoured around the work via NH Route 116. Variable message boards will be utilized. One-way alternating traffic will be necessary afterward to complete the work. Flaggers will be utilized to guide motorists through the construction.

Upon completion of the culvert replacement, paving will take place on Clark Pond Road from the junction with NH Route 10 to the junction with NH Route 116.

The Department of Transportation's Highway Maintenance District 2 will doing the work on the approximately \$10,000 culvert replacement project. Pike Industries will be performing the paving work, estimated at \$85,000.