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# CHUMSTICK HIGHWAY/BEAVER VALLEY ROADWAY CLEAR ZONE AND RECOVERY AREA SAFETY PROJECT

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Chelan County Public Works

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## **Chumstick Highway/Beaver Valley Roadway Safety Project 2009**

Chelan County Public Works is in the process of finalizing the design for a roadway safety project along Chumstick Highway/Beaver Valley Road.

The road work will aim to improve safety along Chumstick Highway to the end of Beaver Valley Road. The focus of this project is to remove or modify hazards located within the roadway clear zone and Chelan County's right-of-way.

The existing roadway possesses a number of safety hazards, namely large trees, nonconforming mailbox supports, utility poles, and various posts, within the clear zone. A clear zone is defined as: the total roadside border area, starting at the edge of traveled way, available for use by errant vehicles.

The project is part of a federally funded grant whose intent is to improve safety along rural county two lane roadways. Rural county two lane roads have both the highest accident rates and highest accident severity rates (FHWA). The Chumstick Highway/Beaver Valley Road corridor was selected due to a high accident rate per million vehicle miles over a five year period.

### **All Objects Within Current Right-of-Way**

For this project, all of the safety hazards identified lie within Chelan County's right-of-way.

## **More Details**

If you have more questions than answers, come to the Open House:

## **OPEN HOUSE**

**Wednesday, February 4, 2009**

**5:30 PM to 7:30 PM**

**Chelan County Fire District 3**

**Community Center**

**228 Chumstick Highway**

**Leavenworth, WA**

## **What to Expect**

Construction will take approximately two weeks. There will be no road closures during this time. However, there will be flagger controlled traffic delays through the project area.

Postal delivery service will be uninterrupted during this project, but your mailbox may need to be temporarily relocated by the Contractor. Mailboxes will be reset in permanent locations by the Contractor. Those individuals whose mailbox support will be replaced have already been contacted.❖

## **Who Can I Call?**

Calls are welcome at our office in Wenatchee at any time; the number is **(509)667-6415**. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

WHAT'S HAPPENING.....

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