What is happening?

Beginning the morning of **Saturday, December 9, 2023,** MassDOT will shift vehicle and pedestrian traffic from the temporary bridge to the east side of the permanent bridge. The shift will be completed by the evening of Saturday December 9, 2023.

Demolition of the temporary bridge and remaining portions of the old bridge will begin on **Monday, December 11, 2023.**

How will I be impacted?

The traffic shift to the new bridge will impact travel on the bridge and adjacent streets throughout the day on December 9. MassDOT encourages abutters to plan accordingly. Drivers should take care to pay attention to all signage and move carefully through the work zone. Police details, lane markings, temporary barriers, traffic cones, signage, and other tools will be used to control traffic and create safe work zones.

Once the shift is complete, the pedestrian path will be located on the west side of the new bridge. Signs will be mounted to request that bicyclists dismount and walk their bikes along the pedestrian path as there is no bike lane during this stage of construction.

How can I find out more?

Please visit the project website below for more details, to sign up for updates and email alerts, and to view the latest resources on the North Washington Street Bridge Replacement Project.

**Project website:** [mass.gov/North-Washington-Street-Bridge-Replacement](mass.gov/North-Washington-Street-Bridge-Replacement)

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