

Hwy 8 Culvert Repair scheduled Sept. 2018

Taylor Falls, MN

Fall 2018, maintenance crews will replace a drainage culvert on Hwy 8 between mile post 20 and mile post 21, south of Taylors Falls in Chisago County.

This repair work will consist of replacing a drainage pipe on the bluff, scaling loose rock, rebuilding the lower section of the pipe, and stabilizing the connections holding the pipe to the bluff face.

The work is expected to be completed in September after the Labor Day holiday. **Crews will need to close Highway 8 between the south Interstate Park Entrance and Valley View Lane for one week to complete the work.** During the closure, all traffic will be directed to follow the posted detour across the Osceola Bridge (**See map on reverse side**). Local access to businesses and homes within the project area will be maintained.

An additional drainage repair project along six miles of Hwy 8 from Forest Lake to Chisago City will occur in late summer. This work will also require Hwy 8 to be closed and detoured for about a week. For more information on these repairs visit the project website and sign up for email updates at:

<http://www.dot.state.mn.us/metro/projects/hwy8drainageimprovements2018/index.html>

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Highway 8 Taylors Falls Detour Route

-  Full closure area*
-  Pipe replacement
-  Detour all traffic
-  Local traffic only



* Anticipated one week closure
in Septmeber (after Labor day)