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Exit 45 Interchange Reconfiguration
July 21, 2023



Looking west at one of the crews unloading median barrier for the Route 1 connector, just east of Maine Mall Road.

Contractor: CPM Constructors

Bid Amount: \$ 27,673,714.90

Percent Complete last approved pay estimate: 93.6 %

Project Schedule: Completion date September 1, 2023

Project Scope: The work consists of highway, bridge and toll system construction at Exit 45 South Portland Interchange. The work includes a new bridge, new southbound and northbound ramps, a new southbound toll plaza on the west side of the Maine Turnpike with a signalized intersection and a new northbound toll plaza on the east of the Maine Turnpike, Route 703 reconstruction, demolition of the existing toll plaza and bridge.

Contractor Schedule: Crews are finishing up work on the Route 1 or 703 connector. Once the median work is complete, crews will pave the shoulders and then surface the remainder of the connector. This should take about a month, with crews wrapping up final paving, striping, and signage by mid-August.