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Portland Area Widening & Safety Improvements
MM 43.0 to 46.4
Project Update
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Looking north from Running Hill road

Contractor: Shaw Brothers Construction, Inc.

Bid Amount: \$ \$28,189,638.60

Percent Complete last approved pay estimate: 51%

Project Schedule: Completion date August 12, 2022

Project Scope: The work consists of constructing a third travel lane northbound, a third lane southbound, and reconstructing the grassed median to a paved median on the Maine Turnpike in the Towns of Scarborough, South Portland, and Portland, Maine. Additional roadway work consists of improving the northbound off ramp at Exit 44. The existing configuration will be widened by one lane to accommodate a two-lane parallel exit ramp diverging from three mainline travel lanes. The work includes embankment construction, roadway gravels and pavement construction, culvert and closed drainage installation, culvert slip lining and extensions, concrete median barrier construction, concrete median pier protection, bridge abutment slope protection, utility vault extension, overhead sign structure installation, roadway signing and striping, highway lighting, guardrail, and maintenance of traffic.

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Contractor Schedule: Shaw Brothers completed setting a mile of the concrete median barrier and will be paving adjacent to them over the next couple of weeks. Shaw Brothers has also completed widening the turnpike northbound between Exit 45 (Maine Mall Rd) and Long Creek. Next, they will widen southbound between Long Creek and Exit 45. It is anticipated this will be completed by the end of June. North of Long Creek Shaw Bothers has completed the construction of the underdrain soil filtration basins.