



MTA GRAY MAINTENANCE FACILITY PROPOSED RENOVATIONS GRAY, MAINE

Maine Turnpike Authority Gray Maintenance:

19 acres located off Exit 63 with direct access to mainline SB. Facility abuts roadways on 3 sides and a wetland on the fourth. Part of overall lot includes developable land north of wetlands that is being reserved for a future Park & Ride lot when existing lot becomes inaccessible or at capacity (Gray By-pass agreement restricts access to transportation purposes only). Current facility houses 19 employees (1 highway foreman, 1 equipment foreman, 1 clerk, 9 full-time highway, 1 seasonal highway, 6 full-time mechanics) with 9 plow trucks, 1 loader and 1 sweeper. Facility includes an 8 bay and a 3 bay as well as limited sand/salt storage (planned for upgrade in 2012). Highway crew maintains a 4 lane highway from MM 53 to MM 67 (New Gloucester barrier toll) including 2 service plazas, 2 park & ride lots, & 3 toll plazas. Equipment maintenance crew services all vehicles and equipment assigned to Gray highway and South Portland highway (a much larger Highway section). The Body Shop located at this facility services the entire Highway Maintenance department turnpike wide.

The 40 year old facility is in need of upgrades. These are planned for 2012. Vehicles fuel up at Service plazas at MM 57 & 58.

