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Saco Interchange Improvements
July 19, 2024



Looking north at the Exit 35 southbound departing slab, showing the Glass Fiber Reinforced Polymer mat.

Contractor: Sargent Corporation Bid Amount: \$41,922,810.00

Percent Complete last approved pay estimate: 57.6 %

Project Schedule: Completion date November 21, 2025

Project Scope: The work consists of highway, interchange, and toll system construction at Exit 35 in Saco and modifications to the Exit 36 Interchange in Saco. The work includes a new interchange at MM 35, including southbound and northbound ramps, earthwork, pavement, concrete, signing, overhead sign structures, concrete barrier, guardrail, drainage, stormwater management, electrical work, highway lighting, lightning suppression systems, and maintenance of traffic.

Contractor Schedule: Sargent's crews placed striping along the northbound entering and departing ramps. Painters have been working on the inside of the administration building. On Route 112, crews have started widening the northeast side of the roadway. Along the southbound side of the project, crews continue to build the northern end of the collector-distributor roadway and exiting ramp. Crews are forming and placing concrete at the toll plaza and have recently placed the exiting slab. The electricians have been directional drilling for the highway lighting and tolling communications. Relocations for overhead and buried utilities is ongoing.