

DOSEWALLIPS ROAD SLIDE REPAIR

After a series of wet storms, a large landslide occurred on March 6, 2014, at milepost 1.67 on the Dosewallips Road. The slide threatened to cut off access for landowners beyond and damaged property below the road.



The March 6, 2014, landslide on Dosewallips Road threatened property below the road and access to homes beyond the slide.

The Board of County Commissioners declared an emergency and Public Works responded immediately. With Public Works providing much of the trucking and with additional trucking and an excavator from Seton Construction, approximately 1,500 cubic yards of mud and debris were hauled off site.

The slope was reconstructed with 2,500 tons of rip rap and other materials and two-way traffic was restored within two weeks. The landowners below the slide provided temporary access easements which made the repair progress much faster and kept costs down.

The repair cost \$125,000 and the County was able to secure reimbursement for 90% of these costs from the State Rural Arterial Trust Account administered by the County Road Administration Board.



Public Works, with additional trucking from Seton Construction, hauled more than 1,500 yards of mud and debris off the site before slope reconstruction could begin.



The slope along the road was reconstructed with 2,500 tons of rip rap and other materials. Two-way traffic along Dosewallips Road was restored within two weeks.