



Flathead National Forest

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Hungry Horse Reservoir Road Closures- Dam Visitor Center Open

The West-side Hungry Horse Reservoir Road, Forest Road #895, will be **closed at Lost Johnny Creek, approximately five miles south of the Hungry Horse Dam, all day Monday, August 10,** due to a bridge replacement.

The Flathead National Forest is also replacing a bridge at Battery Creek on the West-side Hungry Horse Reservoir Road which will include a **road closure anticipated from August 11 through early October. The Battery Creek Bridge is located approximately 40 miles from the Hungry Horse Dam.** Travelers may access the southern area of the reservoir by traveling the East-side Hungry Horse Reservoir Road, Forest Service Road #38 during this time.

For the next few weeks, all travelers on the West-side Hungry Horse Reservoir Road #895 are urged to use caution as there are several crews working along the road.

The Hungry Horse Dam Visitor Center is unaffected by these temporary road closures. The visitor center is open daily, 8am – 4pm, with tours offered regularly. The visitor center may be contacted at 387-5241, x361.

For more information regarding road and bridge work on the West-side Hungry Horse Reservoir, please contact the Hungry Horse – Glacier View District at 387-3800.

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