



US-95 Spalding and US-12 Arrow Bridges

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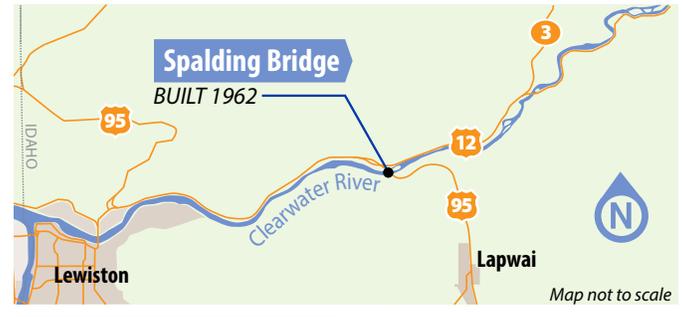
US-95 Spalding Bridge

i Overview

Proposed changes will improve traffic flow and enhance safety for present and future users of U.S. Highway 95 (US-95) where it crosses the Clearwater River nine miles east of Lewiston at milepost 304.

Spalding Bridge was built in 1962 and is a critical connection on US-95 at the Clearwater River. ITD is proposing to replace the existing narrow bridge with dual bridges, creating two lanes of traffic in each direction with improved shoulder widths. Additionally, ITD is making operational and safety improvements at the US-95 and U.S. Highway 12 (US-12) interchange.

📍 Project Location



! Benefits

- **Improved lane widths** designed for larger vehicles
- **Wider shoulders** with room for bicyclists and space for emergency responders
- **Dedicated turn lanes** improve traffic flow
- **Smoother curves** at intersections that are easier to navigate for towing vehicles and logging trucks
- **Increased sight lines** and longer merging distances improve safety

📅 Timeline

The environmental study of the US-95 Spalding bridge started in late 2021, to secure an approved National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) document. Once approved, funding will need to be identified and secured to advance the project to detailed design and construction. Pending NEPA approval, a timeline may be:



**Construction is not currently funded*

During construction of the new bridges, traffic will remain operational in both directions.

\$ Funding

This environmental evaluation, which includes preliminary design concepts, is funded with Transportation Expansion and Congestion Mitigation (TECM) funds as part of Governor Little's Leading Idaho initiative. The program allows ITD to accelerate project timelines to address rapid growth and build critical infrastructure today that would otherwise take many years to fund and build.

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