

## **KICKING HORSE CANYON CONSTRUCTION & ROAD CLOSURES SURCHARGE**

**TO:** Valued Customer

FROM: Apps Cargo Terminals

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Kicking Horse Pass is a mountain pass on the British Columbia/Alberta border, located just east of Golden, BC, is one of the most rugged and scenic sections to be found on the Trans-Canada Highway. As a tourist and commercial transportation corridor, the highway carries more than 10,000 vehicles daily during the summer. Up to 30% of the traffic consists of commercial vehicles moving millions of dollars in goods to serve interprovincial and international trade. Three phases of work have transformed 21 kilometers of narrow, winding two-lane highway into a modern fourlane, 100 km/h standard. Construction of the fourth and final phase to complete the remaining – and most difficult – 4.8 kilometers is expected to be substantially complete in winter 2023-24.

The challenge of this work is substantial, and will involve significant traffic disruptions ranging from 20-minute stoppages to overnight closures and even multi-day closures during off-peak shoulder seasons. The first extended closure (requiring motorists to use Highways 93 and 95 as an alternative route) will have a duration of approximately one month, from April 12 to May 14, 2021. It will be followed by additional 24-hour closures on weekdays between May 17 and May 31, 2021.

During these multi-day closure and the intermittent overnight closures prior to and after the above dates, traffic will be detoured through Radium, BC. Kindly anticipate delays for shipments moving between British Columbia and Alberta.

We will make all efforts to limit service disruptions and mitigate delays while remaining compliant with federally regulated Hours of Service rules.

For the duration of this project, all shipments moving long this detour will have a surcharge of 5% to a maximum of \$150 (plus taxes) applied.

We have attached a map showing the planned closure location as well as the detour required. Additional information regarding the Kicking Horse Canyon upgrade and this closure is available at: <a href="https://www.kickinghorsecanyon.ca/">https://www.kickinghorsecanyon.ca/</a>

Please contact your sales or service rep if you have questions.





