



ABOVE: LOOKING WEST AT DEMOLITION PROGRESS ON EASTBOUND EDGE. (JAN. 21, 2015)

# Project Update

## MD 140 Liberty Reservoir Bridge Rehabilitation

### WINTER 2015

## Work Zone Shifts to Eastbound Side

Stage 1 bridge reconstruction (at the westbound side) is complete and crews have moved into Stage 2A, which includes work at the edge of the eastbound side of the bridge, maintaining four lanes through late March.

### Recent Progress:

- Crews installed supports for the existing gas line along the eastbound side of the bridge (pictured at right).
- Crews have removed the edge of the old bridge deck and three of the beams on the eastbound edge and have begun chipping concrete from the tops of the old supports.
- Construction has begun for the foundations for the new bridge abutments (bridge end supports) on the eastbound side.

### Upcoming Work:

- Crews will continue Stage 2A work on the abutments and piers (bridge supports).
- Crews will complete the concrete barrier along the approaches to the bridge.
- Crews will place large riprap (rock) at the base of the piers to protect them from scour.
- Crews will install protective shields below the bridge in preparation for stages 3 and 4.



A gas line is supported during construction. (Jan. 21)

### PROJECT AT A GLANCE

**LOCATION:** MD 140 AT BALTIMORE/CARROLL COUNTY LINE (LIBERTY RESERVOIR BRIDGE)

**COST:** \$7 MILLION

**SHA PROJECT ENGINEER:** MARK ALLEN

**CONTRACTOR:** ANCHOR CONSTRUCTION CORP.

**ANTICIPATED COMPLETION:** SPRING 2016

Stage 1 | **2A** | 2B | Stage 3 | Stage 4

## Stage: 2A

(EASTBOUND SIDE OF BRIDGE)

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

Visit the project website at [tinyurl.com/md140bridge](http://tinyurl.com/md140bridge)

To submit comments or questions, see the [feedback](#) section on the website or call the field office at 410-526-3500.




### CHANGING TRAFFIC PATTERNS COMING THIS SPRING

Beginning on or after March 28, 2015, and continuing through fall 2015, the bridge will be reduced from four to three lanes, one of which will be a reversible lane carrying traffic towards Baltimore during the morning rush hour and towards Westminster during the evening rush hour and weekends.