



THE GOING-TO-THE-SUN ROAD PROJECT TRAVEL INFORMATION



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SPECIAL VEHICLE AND PEDESTRIAN NOTICE

On the west side, vehicles can currently travel from West Glacier to Avalanche Creek (16.5 miles). From Avalanche Creek, hiking and biking will be allowed to the Packer's Roost area (6 miles). Above this point, a hiker/biker closure will be in place until snow removal allows for additional travel.

On the east side, vehicles can currently travel from St. Mary to Jackson Glacier Overlook. Above Jackson Glacier Overlook hikers and bikers can travel to the Siyeh Bend area (about 2 miles).

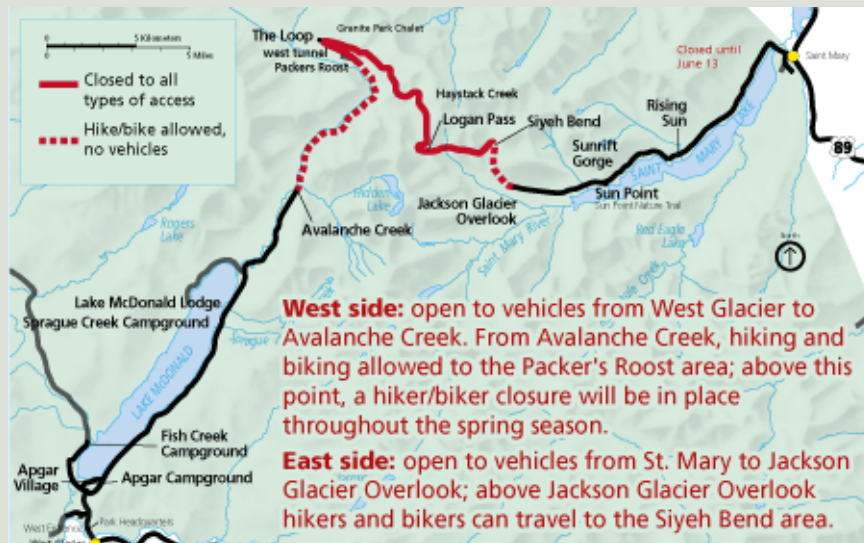
CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

EAST SIDE: The recently renovated St. Mary Visitor Center is now open, however, construction work continues on a small portion of the parking area.

WEST SIDE: The park's road crew is removing above-average snow pack along the Going-to-the-Sun Road (additional accumulations occurred the week of June 9th). Construction crews are working on masonry, compaction grouting, mechanically stabilized earth wall construction, and road grading.

OTHER PARK ROADS

The Camas Road, the Chief Mountain Road, the Cut Bank Road, the Many Glacier Road, the Two Medicine Road, the Quarter Circle Bridge Road, and the Inside North Fork from the Polebridge Ranger station south to Logging Creek and north to Kintla Lake are open to vehicle traffic. (Note- the Akokala Creek Bridge en route to Big Prairie and Kintla Lake has a total vehicle weight limit of ten tons.) The Bowman Lake Road is also open. The Inside North Fork Road from Fish Creek to Logging Creek remains closed. Roadway status can abruptly change, especially in spring conditions. Please call 1-406-888-7800 for current information.



PLEASE NOTE: The second season of the transit system will begin on July 3. Prior to July 3, crews will be performing minor upgrades to individual transit stops primarily focusing on the installation of seating for waiting passengers. The Avalanche Developed Area transit stop will be permanently relocated and upgraded to a more formal and developed stop in proximity to the primary picnic area comfort station. This work will include a rehabilitation of a minor loop road to accommodate large transport shuttles as well as a turnaround for oversized vehicles.

For More Information:

Information about the Going-to-the-Sun Road and related visitor service improvements are available at: www.GTSRProject.com or Glacier National Park Headquarters at **1-406-888-7800**.



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