

Baring Bridge Replacement

Community Meeting



King County

Department of Local Services
Road Services Division

Contractors working for King County Road Services plan to install a temporary bridge just downstream of the current Baring Bridge. The temporary bridge will be used prior to and during construction of the permanent bridge that is anticipated to be constructed from 2029 to 2031. You may see crews preparing for the project in the community.

The already deteriorating 8-foot wide timber Baring Bridge, built in 1930 had additional damage during the December 2025 storm. Road Services crews cleared logs and made substantial repairs after several trees hit the bridge, but now only vehicles under 5 tons (10,000 pounds) can use it. This limits access for residents, emergency crews, utility workers, and deliveries of services like propane and septic supplies. The new temporary bridge will allow legal-load vehicles reach the community.

Please join us for a community meeting to learn more about construction of the temporary bridge

Saturday, March 28, 2026 at 1 pm

King County Fire District #50, Station #296

64410 Index Creek Road

Baring, Washington 98224



Contact: Road Services Communications
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[KingCounty.gov/BaringBridge](https://www.kingcounty.gov/BaringBridge)

Current bridge is limited to loads of 5 tons (10,000 lbs)

If you have a load over 5 tons, please notify Road Services. Our bridge engineers will review and determine if the use is permissible.

Please visit the [Bridge load limits and permits in Unincorporated King County website](#) for more information.



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