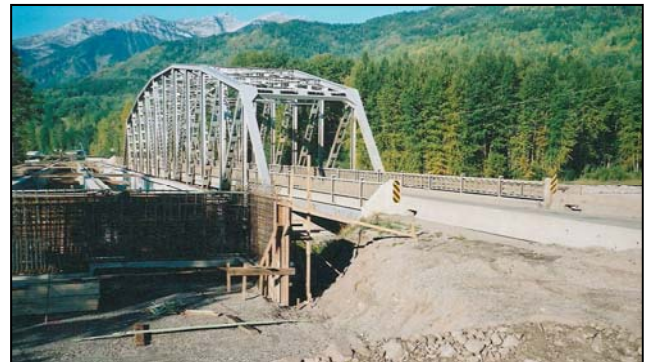


Owner: BC Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Location: Highway 3 Crossing of the Elk River, Hosmer (Fernie), British Columbia
Coordinates: 49°35'10"N, 114°58'10"W
Market: Bridge Structures
Start / Completion Dates: July 2002 – September 2003
Contract Value: CDN \$2,600,000

**Project Description:**

Compared to the original steel truss structure, the new four-span Hosmer Bridge provides a wider and safer Highway 3 crossing to the Elk River.

Corporate Role:

As General Contractor, Coquitlam Ridge Constructors undertook complete construction of the cast-in-place concrete substructure and superstructure. Additionally, CRC's crews completed erection of the pre-cast, pre-stressed, concrete I-girders.

Coquitlam Ridge also performed excavation and reconstruction of the road approaches, as well as demolition of the existing structure.

Weather extremes and varying river levels presented scheduling challenges, as well as technical challenges for works occurring in-stream.

Project Reference: Mr. Bill Smith – MoTI District Office – 250-426-1500