

HIGHWAY 4 DETOUR

Travel Checklist

- It's approximately **120km** between Port Alberni and Youbou.
- Plan for anywhere between **3-4 hours** of travel time.
- If possible, travel only during the daytime.
- This is a network of dirt, gravel, and service roads.
- Expect **dusty** conditions and **low visibility**.
- Stay back from the vehicle ahead of you.
- Drive at a low speed, especially around corners.
- There is *no cellphone service* en route.

| ☐ You cannot travel in an oversized vehicle. |
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| · Maximum of 8'6" (2.60m) wide, 13'7" (4.15m) high. |
| · Must not have overhang, require flags or a pilot car. |
| □ Speak with your rental car/RV company. |
| · Gravel damage may void your rental insurance! |
| □ A full tank of gas. |
| ☐ A spare tire in usable condition, or a flat repair kit . |
| □ Water, food, and an emergency first aid kit. |
| ☐ Fully charged cellphone or GPS for navigation. |
| ☐ Set a destination prior to departure. |
| ☐ Either "Youbou" or "Port Alberni" accordingly. |
| □ Share your travel plans with friends/family. |
| □ Manually turn on your headlights and tailights. |
| · Keep your headlights on for the entire trip. |
| □ Follow all signage , as it may change between trips. |
| ☐ Follow the direction of all traffic control personnel . |
| ☐ The road is surface is uneven , with loose gravel that may |
| cause you to lose control unexpectedly. Drive with caution! |

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