



TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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San Mateo-Hayward Bridge Deck Repair

Oakland - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close two lanes of the San Mateo-Hayward Bridge on five successive nights this week in order to make permanent repairs to the bridge deck.

On June 15, a hole opened up on the westbound deck just east of the high-rise section. At that time, bridge engineers determined that the hole could not be repaired with a simple patch operation. Maintenance crews secured a metal plate over the hole and reopened the bridge to traffic.

Starting Tuesday night, July 12, crews will close two westbound lanes starting at 7:00 pm, and continuing through 5:00 am the next morning. The closure hours will remain the same for the next three days, July 13, 14 and 15. During these closures, crews will perform the preparatory work necessary for the repair operation.

On Saturday, July 16, crews will close the two westbound lanes starting at 7:00 pm and continuing through 9:00 am Sunday morning. During this time crews will make permanent repairs to the damaged section of the deck.

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