



TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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State Route 29-Tunnel of Elms in St. Helena

*Removal of Dead or Dying Trees
Work Completed on November 30, 2017
One-Way Traffic Controls Canceled*

NAPA COUNTY— The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed the removal of 10 dead and/or dying elm trees on State Route-29 (SR-29) in St. Helena and canceled any remaining lane closures on SR-29 related to the tree removals.

The work started on Monday, November 27, 2017 and was completed on November 30, 2017.

The trees were located within the Tunnel of Elms on SR-29 between Pratt Avenue and Deer Park Road in St. Helena. Caltrans working with the City of St. Helena determined it necessary to remove the dead and/or dying trees to ensure the safety of the traveling public.

The tree maintenance and removal was scheduled to occur during three-weeks of work but was completed November 30 which was about two-weeks ahead of schedule.

During the work, crews also trimmed the remaining trees on SR-29.

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