



NEWS RELEASE

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District: 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

PAVING ON HIGHWAY 68 IN SALINAS AT BLANCO ROAD—TOMORROW ONLY

SALINAS – One day of paving by Caltrans maintenance crew on Highway 68 at Blanco Road will take place tomorrow, Friday, October 7, Caltrans officials have announced.

Roadwork is scheduled from 9 am to 3 pm, Monday, with alternating lane closures. There will be traffic control for motorists on Blanco Road from the north or south.

NOTE: Electronic Message Signs alerting motorists, who can expect delays of up to 15 minutes, have been posted. The CHP will be present to assist with traffic control.

The purpose of this project is to provide motorists and bicyclists a safer route to travel and a smoother ride. Roadwork is scheduled to be completed on the same day, Friday, Oct. 7 and is being performed by our Salinas North Maintenance crew.

Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway work zones.

For more information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Monterey County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-753-0187 or can visit our website at: http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm

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