FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SOUTHBOUND HIGHWAY 1 ON/OFF RAMPS AT SOUTH BAY BOULEVARD CLOSED FOR PAVEMENT REPAIR BEGINNING NEXT WEEK

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – The southbound Hwy. 1 on/off ramps at South Bay Boulevard will be closed 24/7 beginning Monday, Feb. 9 through Saturday, Feb. 28.

These ramp closures are necessary so the asphalt pavement on South Bay Boulevard near the Hwy. 1 Interchange can be removed and replaced.

- Motorists heading northbound on Hwy. 1 may detour by using San Bernardo Creek Road and continue north on Quintana Road to South Bay Blvd.

- Motorists heading southbound on Hwy. 1 may detour by exiting at Main Street and continue south along Quintana Road to South Bay Blvd. Access to Los Osos and surrounding communities will be maintained during this project.

Electronic Message Boards will be posted alerting motorists of this road work. Motorists can expect delays not to exceed ten minutes.

This project is being performed by the City of Morro Bay, under permit from Caltrans.

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

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at: http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm