



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **PAVEMENT PRESERVATION PROJECT ON US HIGHWAY 101 IN SAN LUIS OBISPO BEGINS NEXT WEEK**

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – A project to preserve the surface of U.S. Highway 101 from north of San Luis Bay Drive to north of Reservoir Canyon Road will begin on Monday, Aug. 24.

There will be **overnight** lane closures in both directions of US Highway 101 Sunday night through Thursday morning from **9 pm until 6 am** and on Thursday from 11:55 pm until Friday morning 6 am.

One lane will remain open to traffic in both directions at all times. Motorists will also encounter intermittent overnight ramp closures within the project area. This project will include the application of a Bonded Wearing Course on the highway, a preventative surface treatment to prolong the life of the highway.

The contractor for this \$4.5 million project is Telfer Highway Technologies of McClellan, CA. This project is expected to be completed in January 2016, weather permitting.

**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 may call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit our website at:

[http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road\\_information.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm).

