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## **HIGHWAY 1 RUMBLE STRIP PROJECT FROM SAN LUIS OBISPO TO SAN SIMEON BEGINS MONDAY, JANUARY 4**

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – A project to install rumble strips along a 42-mile section of Highway 1 from Highland Drive in San Luis Obispo to Hearst Castle Road in San Simeon will begin on Monday, Jan. 4, weather permitting.

Intermittent lane/ramp closures will occur on Highway 1 Sunday nights through Friday mornings from 8 pm until 6 am. There will be one-way reversing traffic control within the two-lane section of Highway 1 from north of Ocean Boulevard to north of Hearst Castle Road with up to 15 minute delays. Electronic message boards will be activated to inform the public.

The installation of rumble strips, which create a vibration when driving over them, will enhance safety for travelers along this popular coastal route.

The contractor for this \$1.6 million project is Souza Construction of San Luis Obispo, CA. Project completion is expected this spring.

### **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](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm)



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