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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

FULL OFF-RAMP CLOSURE ON SOUTHBOUND HIGHWAY 17 AT MT. HERMAN TOMORROW IN SCOTTS VALLEY

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY– Crews will be performing a one-day road grinding and paving operation involving the full off-ramp closure on southbound Hwy. 17 at Mount Herman in Scotts Valley tomorrow, Wednesday, Oct. 22 from 7 am to 4 pm, Caltrans officials have announced.

The previous southbound Hwy. 17 off-ramp (Granite Creek) will be the detour in place. There will be electronic message signs alerting motorists of this closure and the CHP will assist with traffic control. Minor delays are expected as next ramp will be open.

This work is being done by the Santa Cruz Maintenance Crew to repair sections of broken and cracked pavement and is necessary to prevent further deterioration of the roadway.

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 Santa Cruz County, or residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-423-0396 or can visit our website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#scr>

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