



**SR-710 Tunnel Technical Study
Exploration Program Notice
FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2009**

In June 2008, Caltrans and Metro began the SR-710 Tunnel Technical Study to examine all reasonable and practical alternatives for extending the SR-710. This geotechnical study will involve research, exploration and technical analysis of the soil and sub-surface conditions found while tunneling at depths of more than 250 feet.

What type of testing will be performed?	Testing of local soils will be studied by taking an electronic image of soil conditions along a specific area. Information on rock layers and layering, near-surface faulting, sub-surface voids, and bedrock elevations or depths will be gathered.
Where is the testing site located?	The testing site is located on York Blvd and Verdugo Rd. in the <u>City of Los Angeles</u> .
*When will testing in this location begin and end?	Work will begin on Friday, April 17, 2009 and end on Friday, April 17, 2009.
*What time will testing crews be present?	Crews will be on-site between the hours of 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Testing will take approximately two hours.
What can I expect during working hours?	Work will take place on sidewalks in designated work area marked by safety cones.
Will local access be permitted during the testing?	Pedestrian and driveway access will be maintained at all times. Please follow all applicable traffic and safety laws.
Where can I call to get more information?	Call 1-877-710-4111 or visit http://www.710tunnelstudy.info

*Schedule is subject to change.

Please use extreme caution while walking, bicycling or driving near the testing area and obey all traffic signs.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation!

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