



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Westbound Vincent Thomas Bridge (SR-47) Full Closure Scheduled

Los Angeles and Long Beach - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces the following freeway closures for the American Diabetes Association's Tour De Cure:

Sunday, May 31:

- 4 a.m. to 11 a.m. - **Full** freeway closure westbound Terminal Island Freeway (SR-47) from Long Beach Freeway (I-710) to Harbor Freeway (I-110), which includes the Gerald Desmond Bridge and Vincent Thomas Bridge.
- 4 a.m. to 11 a.m. – Westbound SR-47 Seaside Avenue, Ferry Street and Ocean Boulevard on-ramps.
- 4 a.m. to 11 a.m. – Southbound I-710 connector to Gerald Desmond Bridge.

An encroachment permit has been issued for these event-related closures. Detour information will be posted.

Caltrans advises motorists to “**Slow For The Cone Zone.**”