



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ARTESIA FREEWAY (SR-91) LANE AND RAMP CLOSURES

Los Angeles - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces the following lane and ramp closures for the High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV or carpool) lane reconstruction and pavement replacement project on the westbound Artesia Freeway (SR-91), from the Harbor Freeway (I-110) to Downey Avenue in Bellflower. The following overnight closure schedule will be in effect, weather permitting. At least one lane will remain open to traffic in each direction at all times. Ramp closures will be staged so that no two consecutive ramps are closed at the same time.

Eastbound SR-91

Nightly, Monday, June 2 through Thursday, June 5

- 7 p.m. until 7 a.m. – Up to four lanes and HOV Lane from the Harbor Freeway (I-110) to Downey Avenue.
- 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Connectors from the Harbor Freeway (US-110).
- 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Connectors to the Long Beach Freeway (I-710).
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Main Street on-ramp.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Avalon Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Central Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Wilmington Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Acacia Street off-ramp.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Alameda Street on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Santa Fe Street on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Long Beach Boulevard on- and off-ramp.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Atlantic Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Cherry Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 6 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Paramount Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Downey Avenue off-ramp.

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ARTESIA FREEWAY (SR-91) LANE AND RAMP CLOSURES

Friday, April 11

- 7 p.m. until Noon – Up to four lanes and HOV Lane from the Harbor Freeway (I-110) to Downey Avenue.
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Connectors to the Long Beach Freeway (I-710).
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Connectors from the Harbor Freeway (US-110).
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Main Street on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Avalon Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 8 p.m. until Noon – Central Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 8 p.m. until 9 a.m. – Wilmington Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 8 p.m. until Noon – Acacia Street off-ramp.
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Alameda Street on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Santa Fe Street on- and off-ramps.
- 7 p.m. until Noon – Long Beach Boulevard on- and off-ramps.

Westbound SR-91

Nightly, Monday, June 2 through Thursday, June 5

- 6 p.m. until 6 p.m. – Up to four lanes and the HOV lane from Downey Avenue to Harbor Freeway (I-110).

Friday, June 6

- 6 p.m. until Noon – Up to four lanes and the HOV lane from Downey Avenue to Harbor Freeway (I-110).

SR-91 is one of the most heavily traveled freeways in Los Angeles County and was also one of the first freeways to offer carpool lanes. As a result of heavy use, the asphalt pavement has experienced extensive wear. New pavement will improve safety and mobility for motorists. Completion of the entire project, which covers SR-91 from Downey Avenue to Vermont Avenue, is fall 2008.

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

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