



NEWS RELEASE

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VINCENT THOMAS BRIDGE LANE CLOSURES

Los Angeles – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close portions of the Vincent Thomas Bridge as part of a deck resurfacing project. Most closures will be performed at night and off peak hours; however, some daytime closures will be necessary. The closures are weather permitting:

Daily, Saturday, February 9 and Sunday, February 10:

- 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. – **Full closure** San Pedro bound SR-47 Vincent Thomas Bridge

A signed detour will be posted. Griffith Company is the contractor on this \$13 million bridge deck project. Work will repair and resurface the bridge deck with a polyester concrete overlay, extending the life of the deck, create a smoother ride and improve safety. Estimated completion is spring 2009.

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

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