



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) will close portions of the Artesia/Gardena Freeway (SR-91) in the cities of Long Beach, Paramount and Norwalk as part of a bridge maintenance project. The following closure schedule will be in effect weather permitting:

Eastbound SR-91

Nightly, Sunday, November 18 through Tuesday, November 20

- 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Up to four lanes from Paramount Boulevard to the San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605).
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Connector to and from the southbound San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605).
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Bellflower Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Clark Avenue off-ramp.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Lakewood Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Downey Avenue on- and off-ramps.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Paramount Boulevard on- and off-ramps.

Westbound SR-91

Nightly, Sunday, November 18 through Tuesday, November 20

- 8 p.m. until 5 a.m. – Up to four lanes from the San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605) to Paramount Blvd.
- 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Connectors from the north and southbound San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605).
- 11 p.m. until 5 a.m. – Connectors to the Long Beach Freeway (I-710).
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Bellflower Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Clark Avenue off-ramp.

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- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Paramount Boulevard on- and off-ramps.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Cherry Avenue on-ramp.
- 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. – Atlantic Avenue off-ramp.

STREET CLOSURES

Sunday, November 18 through Tuesday, November 20

- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – One lane at Bloomfield Avenue and under the Artesia Freeway.
- 7 p.m. until 6 a.m. – One lane at Carmenita Road and under the Artesia Freeway.

Preventative maintenance is performed to minimize or delay the rehabilitation of bridges in the future. Estimated completion on this \$2.5 million project is Summer 2008. Caltrans advises motorists to “**Slow For The Cone Zone.**”

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