



# Caltrans Traffic Advisory

## NORTHBOUND I-5 TEMPORARY BYPASS LANE

I-5 Improvement Project – Vista Del Lago Road to Kern County Line

June 3, 2013

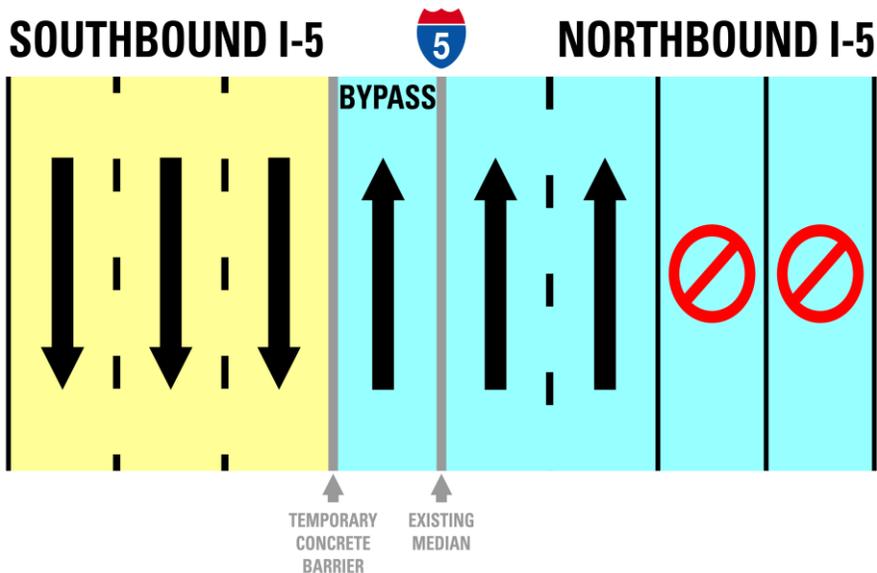
Caltrans is rehabilitating the lanes and outside shoulders of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) in both directions from just south of the Vista Del Lago Road overcrossing to the Kern County Line, a distance of 15.4 miles.

As part of this project, crews will pave the two right lanes of northbound I-5. For the safety of motorists, these two right lanes will be closed to traffic. A temporary bypass lane will be implemented on northbound I-5 between just south of the Gorman Road overcrossing to just north of the Kern County line.

When the bypass lane is implemented, the inside lane of southbound I-5 will temporarily become a northbound lane *at all times*. Northbound motorists using the bypass lane will be driving to the left of the existing median. **Motorists traveling in the left lane of northbound I-5 should prepare to shift to the bypass lane as they near the Gorman Road overcrossing.** A concrete barrier will separate the northbound and southbound lanes. This configuration will allow three traffic lanes in each direction to remain open while work is underway on the two outside northbound lanes of I-5 and will reduce the duration of the project. (See diagram below.)

You may hear construction noise during the closure, but it will not exceed levels allowed by state and federal regulations.

The closure dates are subject to change. If you'd like to receive closure updates by email, contact us and provide your email address. (Contact info at right.) Closure dates will also be posted on the I-5 website. You can also call the I-5 Hotline for more information.



### WHERE

Northbound I-5 between just south of the Gorman Road overcrossing to just north of the Kern County Line

### WHEN

Monday, June 3 through November 2013.

### CONTACT

#### Toll-Free I-5 Hotline

(855) 454-6335

#### Website

[www.I-5info.com](http://www.I-5info.com)

#### Email

Go to the website above and click on 'Contact'.

### REAL-TIME TRAFFIC INFO

#### Caltrans Quick Map

<http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov>

### CLOSURE INFO

#### Caltrans Lane Closures System

<http://www.lcswebreports.dot.ca.gov/lcswebreports/>

Click on "District 7" then "Los Angeles County," then "Route 5" and the "Date" desired.



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