

# NEWS RELEASE



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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Closures for I-5 HOV Improvement Project (SR-170 – Buena Vista Street)

*San Fernando Valley* – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes and ramps of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as part of a \$121 million improvement project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV or carpool) lanes in each direction along I-5 between SR-170 to Buena Vista Street. Closures are subject to change. Detours will be signed.

### Golden State Freeway (I-5) Closures

*Friday August 24 through Thursday August 31, 2012*

- Southbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and 12 p.m. on Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>)
- Northbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and 12 p.m. on Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>)



- Northbound I-5 from Penrose Street to Sheldon Street Laurel Canyon Boulevard  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 11 p.m. to 6 a.m.  
Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 5 a.m.
- Northbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Northbound and Southbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound  
Off and On Ramps  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Brandford Street Eastbound and Westbound On Ramps  
TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday August 25th and 10 a.m. on Sunday August  
26<sup>th</sup>)
- Northbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound



### Off and On Ramps

TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 26th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Northbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
Time: 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and 12 p.m. on Sunday August 26th)
- Northbound I-5 Buena Vista Street Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
Time: 9 p.m. to 9 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday August 26th)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramps  
Time: 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and 9 a.m. on Sunday August 26th)
- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista to Penrose Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 11 p.m. to 6 a.m.  
Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 6 a.m.
- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista Street to Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard  
TIME: Up to Two Lane: 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and 10 a.m. on Sunday August 26th)  
Three lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Penrose St to Hollywood Way  
TIME: Up to Three lanes: 11 p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Sunday August 26th)
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Penrose Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 11p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Sunday August 26th)  
Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 5 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Buena Vista Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 8 p.m. To 6a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Saturday August 25<sup>th</sup> and 10 a.m. on Sunday August 26th)  
Three lanes: 12 a.m. to 5 a.m.

### About the Project

Caltrans is building an HOV lane in each direction of I-5 between SR-170 and north of Buena Vista Street in Burbank.

This project will alleviate congestion, encourage carpooling, improve air quality, provide a smoother ride for motorists, and reduce traffic on city streets.

Work began in early 2011 and is expected to be completed in late 2014. Caltrans thanks motorists for their patience and understanding during construction.



