



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **Hollywood Freeway (US 101)/Arroyo Seco Parkway (SR-110) Interchange to Close for Swarm Maintenance**

**DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will deploy 175 personnel and community service workers for “swarm” maintenance on **Sunday, February 24** in closed sections of the US 101/I-110 interchange from 6 a.m. to 12 p.m. The closures will occur at the following locations:

#### Connectors

Northbound SR-110 connector to northbound US 101

Southbound SR-110 connector to northbound US 101

#3 lane of the northbound SR-110 connector to northbound and southbound US 101 (6 a.m. to 9 a.m.)

#### Ramps

Grand Avenue on-ramp to north- and southbound SR-110 and northbound US 101

3rd Street on-ramp to northbound SR-110

Motorist should expect delays. Signed detours will be in place.

Generally, crews only have a two-hour closure window within the US 101/I-110 interchange, by increasing the window to six-hours and placing hundreds of personnel into one closure, crews will be able accomplish several tasks all at once. This six-hour window will reduce the necessity to close the interchange three to four additional times for two-hours.

“With budget and resource cutbacks, we have to be innovative and find different ways to accomplish our mission,” said District 7 Director Michael Miles. “By placing multiple crews into one closure we were able to make significant improvements to the roadway and landscape, enhance safety, and save on future costs.”

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