



NEWS RELEASE

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UPDATE ON HIGHWAY CLOSURES IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

REDDING – UPDATED 10:50 am, July 2, 2008

State Route 32 is closed from the Junction of SR 36 in Tehama County to Butte Meadows in Butte County, due to wildfire. There is no estimated time to reopen.

State Route 70 is closed 7 miles west of Pulga at Big Bend Road, in Butte County to the junction of State Route 89 at Greenville Wye in Plumas County due to rock fall and fire activity.

State Route 36 is currently closed 55 miles west of Red Bluff near Wildwood to the junction of Routes 3/36 due to numerous fires in the area. This closure will allow emergency equipment access along the fire line.

Route 96 is currently open with no restrictions.

State Route 299 is currently open with no restrictions.

For more information regarding highway closures due to fire and to view an EOC closure map visit the web at www.caltrans2.info

Motorists should watch for emergency equipment and personnel. Be advised that roads can close at anytime if conditions change. For the most current information on all California State Highways, please call 1-800-GAS-ROAD (1-800-427-7623) or visit www.dot.ca.gov/hq/roadinfo.

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