



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### ROUTE 199 CLOSURE UPDATE

**Eureka** – Caltrans announced that Route 199 is still closed in both directions at Patrick Creek in Del Norte County due to a rock slide. The slide is estimated to contain 2,000 to 3,000 cubic yards of material, which equals roughly 200 to 300 large dump truck loads. Crews are presently working to clear the slide.

Caltrans anticipates reopening the road by nightfall and will issue another update either when the road reopens or by 7:30 PM.

For the most current road information on all State highways, please call 1-800-427-7623 (1-800-GAS-ROAD) or visit [www.dot.ca.gov](http://www.dot.ca.gov).

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