



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### TRAFFIC ADVISORY STATE ROUTE 165 AT STATE ROUTE 140 IN MERCED COUNTY

**Merced County** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will perform one-way traffic control 24 hours a day on State Route 165 (SR-165) at SR-140 (north of Fourth Avenue) for paving.

Work is scheduled to begin Monday, August 4, 2014, at 4:00 a.m. through Friday, August 8, 2014, until 3:00 p.m.

Motorists should expect 15 minute delays. Alternate routes should be taken whenever possible.

Construction is scheduled to begin as listed, but is subject to change due to traffic incidents, weather, availability of equipment and/ or materials and construction related issues.

The work is part of the \$13.9 million SR-140/ 165 Stevinson Rehabilitation Project, which began on May 27, 2014. The project will improve highway safety and extend pavement service life of SR-165, from SR-140 to just south of Westside Boulevard. The project will also widen roadway shoulders, relocate utility poles, correct the roadway slope and make other pavement repairs providing motorists with a smoother commute.

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For the safety of workers and other motorists, please Slow For the Cone Zone.

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