



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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District: District 12, Orange County
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STATE ROUTE 1 (PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY) AT CRYSTAL COVE SLOPE EROSION REPAIR

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will begin a storm damage emergency repair November 9, forcing a small stretch of northbound State Route 1 (Pacific Coast Highway) to be closed temporarily near Crystal Cove.

The northbound No. 1 and No. 2 lanes, located three-tenths of a mile south of the El Morro Elementary School traffic signal, will be closed for six-tenths of a mile from 9 am to 5 pm. Traffic will not be interrupted in both directions, however, motorists are advised they could expect a slight delay. The southbound No. 1 lane will temporarily be converted to a northbound lane while the southbound No. 2 lane will be retained to maintain the southbound flow of traffic.

The emergency repair is the result of a deteriorating slope along the embankment. Crews will be clearing the embankment of materials and will be scaling off the face of the slope, stabilizing it to restore a safe road condition for motorists and bicyclists.

As always, to ensure the safety of workers and the traveling public, in a construction zone, please remember to “*slow for the cone zone*”, be alert, and proceed with caution.

For information about this project, or any other freeway project in Orange County, please contact the District 12 Public Information Office at the number above or the Orange County Transportation Helpline at 1-800-724-0353.

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