



TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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CHANGES COMING TO STATE ROUTE 116/STAGE GULCH ROAD

Sonoma County – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces two significant changes to State Route 116 (SR-116)/Stage Gulch Road on Tuesday night/Wednesday morning, July 13/14.

First, the current lanes of State Route 116 (SR-116)/Stage Gulch Road will be once again shifting to a new alignment between Adobe Road and County Dump Road. The new alignment will feature two separate roadbeds; one for eastbound traffic and one for westbound traffic. These separate roadbeds will permit the contractor to proceed with work between the two lanes. Caltrans asks motorists to drive with extra caution in this area as the roadway will be a new configuration.

Second, County Dump Road access will be shifting to the west of its current location. This realignment will allow the contractor to construct the new road access in this area. Upon completion of the project, County Dump Road will have an eastbound left-hand turn pocket to assist motorists with access.

Motorists can follow this project on twitter @sonoma116 for the most current information regarding lane closures and construction news. Nighttime lane closures with one way traffic control will continue from 7:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. during the week with longer work windows possible on weekends. Anticipated completion of this highway improvement project is summer of 2012. Caltrans requests that motorist drive slowly and courteously through the construction zone. Thank you for your patience.

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