



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Caltrans Activates Meters at SR-237

**SANTA CLARA COUNTY** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will activate ramp meters on westbound State Route 237 at the Calaveras Boulevard on-ramp and the McCarthy Boulevard on-ramp.

Metering lights will be activated for the morning commute on Tuesday, January 17. They will be set to solid green from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. during the weekdays only and will begin full - functional metering on Tuesday, January 24 from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Ramp metering will be operational during the morning peak hours between 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., Monday through Friday.

Caltrans expects the ramp metering system to improve travel times during peak morning periods of heavy traffic along the corridor. Newly activated ramp locations are expected to experience delays during the first few days of operation. Caltrans staff will monitor the ramps and make adjustments as they fine tune the metering operations.

The Ramp Metering Information Line number is 510-286-4531

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