

Interstate 880 HOV Lane Widening Project

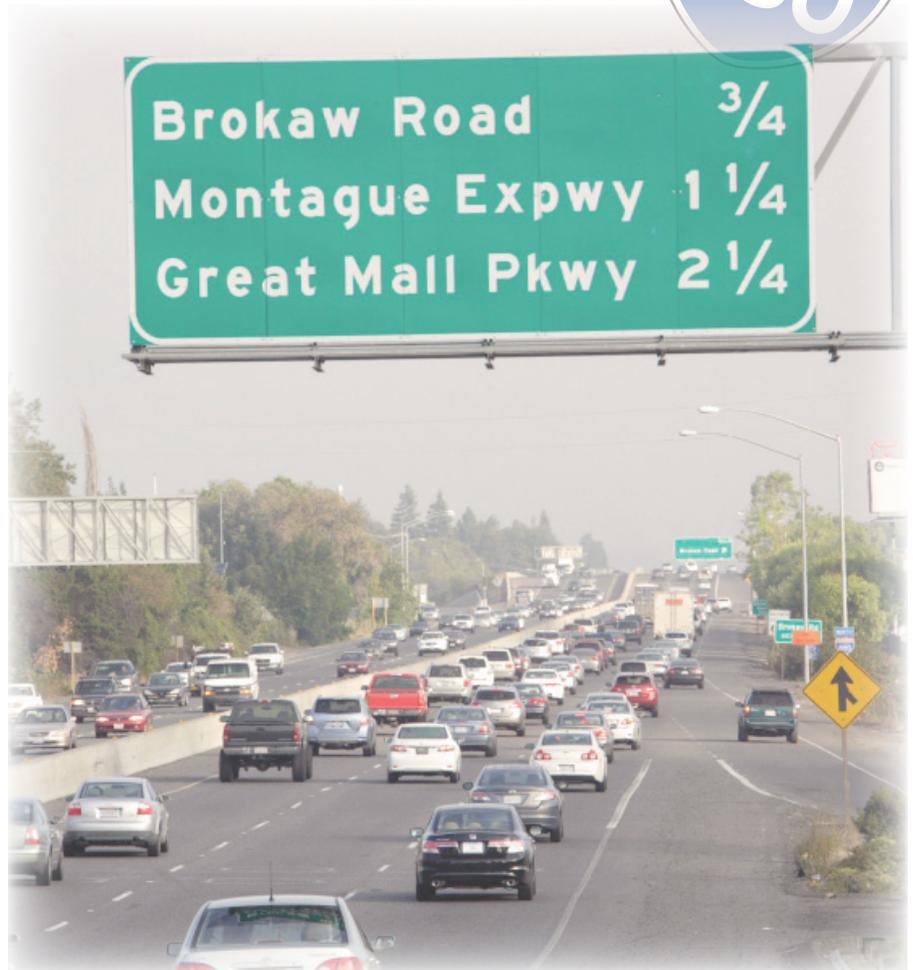


Beginning Spring 2012, weather permitting, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will partner with the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) to reduce congestion along I-880 between U.S. 101 and State Route 237 interchanges by adding approximately 4.6 miles of high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lane in both directions. These improvements will:

- *Widen I-880 from six to eight lanes*
- *Widen and realigning on and off ramps to I-880 at the Brokaw Road Interchange*
- *Construct retaining wall throughout the corridor.*

Additional Benefits:

- *Improve mobility on the I-880 between U.S. 101 and State Route 237*
- *Encourage carpooling*
- *Improve on-ramp / off-ramp merging*
- *Enhance safety along the I-880 corridor in San Jose and Milpitas*



Construction Activities:

- *Construction activities will be conducted during the day behind concrete railings and will not require lane or ramp closures. Work will normally start around 7:00 a.m. and end before 5:00 p.m.*
- *Ramp and some lane closures will occur at night as needed during off-peak commute hours.*
- *Most nighttime lane and ramp closures will end before 5:00 a.m. on the weekdays and 8:00 a.m. on the weekends*

Caltrans will work with the contractor to inform the community, commercial business, local police departments, California Highway Patrol (CHP), and motorists, of closures within the area of construction.

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What to Expect:

- *Construction noise will be unavoidable; however, it will be kept within approved construction noise levels.*
- *Periodic delays while driving on local streets in the area of construction*
- *There will be weekend and night closures for Brokaw Road ramps.*
- *HOV lane will be open in late 2013*
- *Project completion is expected in mid-2014.*

Motorists are advised to use caution when traveling through the area. Please remember to Move Over and Slow for the Cone Zone. We truly appreciate your understanding and patience during these improvements and will make every effort to minimize impacts, traffic delays and inconvenience.



Stay Informed

*For more information about this project, visit:
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