

HIGHWAY 9 – SIGHT DISTANCE IMPROVEMENT

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PROJECT FACT SHEET



PROGRAM/PROJECT SPONSOR: SHOPP (20.XX.201.010) Safety Improvements

PROJECT DESCRIPTION & SCOPE:

Near Saratoga, from 2.5 miles north of Route 35 to 6th street. Upgrade roadway, install metal beam guardrail and warning signs. The Proposed improvements consist of:

- Improving sight distance
- Upgrade existing lanes and shoulders
- Increasing super elevation
- Installing metal beam guardrail
- Placing warning signs

CURRENT STATUS:

Project was awarded on 11/19/13. Contract Approval date was December 9th. Construction will begin in April, 2014. Some activities such as surveying and vegetation removal will occur in advance of construction beginning in March, 2014.

PROJECT HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

The purpose of the project is to improve traffic safety at three spot locations along State Route 9. State Route (SR) 9 is a two-lane undivided conventional highway that runs north/south in Santa Clara County and through the Santa Cruz Mountains connecting SR 17 with the Saratoga Gap Open Space and Santa Cruz County. Within the project limits, SR 9 is designated as an official State Scenic highway. The existing facility consists of two approximately 11-foot lanes separated by a soft barrier and outside paved shoulders that vary in width.

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