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## **State Route 29-Troutdale Creek Bridge Between Calistoga and Middletown Increased Construction & Traffic Signal Activated July 2015**

**NAPA COUNTY** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has started the summer construction phase of the State Route 29 (SR-29) Troutdale Creek Bridge Replacement Project in northwest Napa County between Calistoga and Middletown.

Crews have now configured traffic for this summer's work and are now constructing abutments, and retaining walls for the new bridge. All work is weather permitting.

### **Temporary Traffic Signal Light-Activated**

To ensure worker and public safety, motorists approaching the Troutdale Creek Bridge are now routed onto one lane with alternating northbound and southbound traffic on SR-29 controlled by a traffic signal.

The signal was activated in early June and will be in operation until further notice. Crews have also restriped the lanes approaching the bridge.

Motorists should allow for extra travel time, and watch for the new signal light, and new lane configuration. Please #BeWorkZoneAlert.

### **SR-29 Troutdale Creek Bridge Project**

Caltrans will replace the existing Troutdale Creek Bridge with a new bridge and will widen the northbound and southbound SR-29 bridge approaches. The existing bridge must be replaced because of years of wear at its base from the Troutdale Creek. The bridge approaches will also be realigned to conform to the new bridge, and improve sight-lines for motorists. The project is scheduled to be completed as early as late 2016.

For additional information: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist4/29troutdalecreek/>  
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## Temporary Traffic Signal Light



Motorists slowing for temporary traffic signal lights approaching the bridge from northbound State Route 29. (Photo courtesy of Caltrans, July 2015)

## West Abutment Installation



Crews scale falsework during construction of west abutment of the new Troutdale Creek Bridge on State Route 29 in Napa County. (Photo courtesy of Caltrans, July 2015)

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## Overview of Abutment Work



Overview of the east and west abutment work for the new Troutdale Creek Bridge on State Route 29 in Napa County. (Photo courtesy of Caltrans, July 2015)

## Creek Diversion Implementation



Temporary piping in place to route Troutdale Creek during construction. (Photo courtesy of Caltrans, July 2015)

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## One Lane Traffic



Motorists routed onto one lane of traffic on State Route 29 through the Troutdale Creek Bridge Project in Napa County (Photo courtesy of Caltrans, July 2015)

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