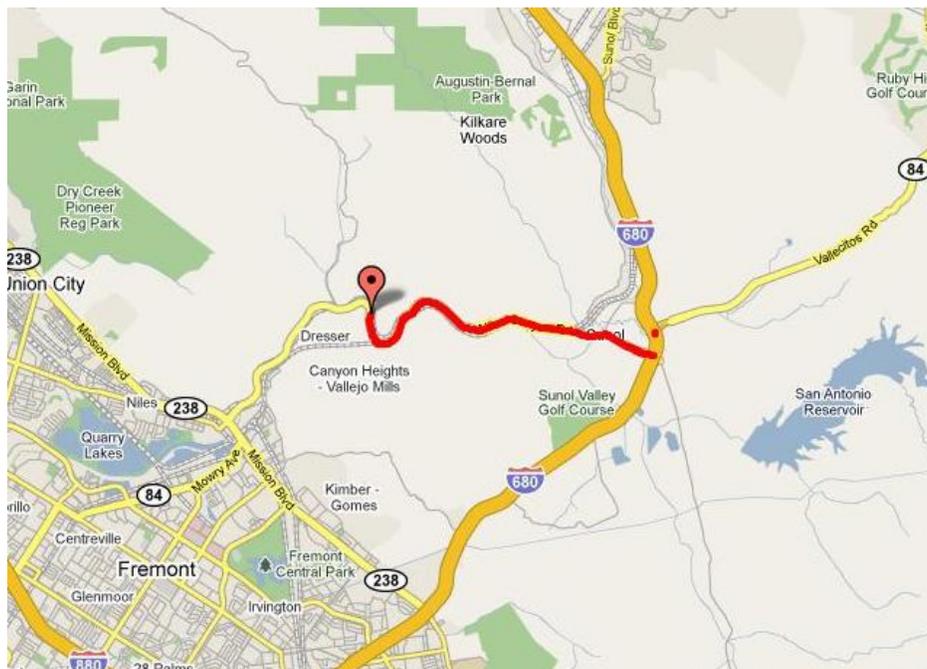


# PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

**PROJECT TITLE:** Route 84 Niles Canyon II Safety Improvement Project  
from just east of the Alameda Creek Bridge to I-680 (PM 13.6/18.0)

**PROJECT SPONSOR:** California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)



## PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

This 4.4 mile project proposes to widen shoulders and improve sight distance to meet current conventional highway standards on Route 84 in Niles Canyon between the Alameda Creek Bridge and the Route 84/I-680 Separation (PM 18.0) in Alameda County. This safety improvement project will construct standard width shoulders, centerline and shoulder rumble strips, retaining walls, concrete barrier, guard rail, drainage facilities, utility relocations, erosion control, advanced warning signs, and environmental mitigation. Three bridges within the project limits - the Alameda Creek Bridge and Overhead (Br No 33-0039), Silver Springs Underpass Bridge (Br No 33-0042), and Arroyo De La Laguna Bridge (Br No 33-0043) - will remain as is and are excluded from the project scope.

## PURPOSE AND NEED:

The project location has been recommended for safety improvements to reduce the number of head-on cross-centerline and run-off the road type accidents, as well as improve sight distance on this segment of Route 84 in Niles Canyon.

**COST/FUNDING:**

Construction Cost	\$ 34.2 M
R/W Cost	<u>\$ 1.8 M</u>
	\$ 36.0 M *

\* Funded entirely with State Highway Operations and Protection Program (SHOPP) funds

**SCHEDULE:**

DRAFT ENV DOC	07/01/10
FINAL ENV DOC	SPRING 2012
FINAL DESIGN	SPRING 2014
R/W CERT	SPRING 2014
START CONSTRUCTION	FALL 2014
END CONSTRUCTION	FALL 2016

**UPDATE:**

Caltrans has officially reopened the review and comment period for the Environmental Impact Report for the State Route 84 (SR-84) Niles Canyon II Safety Improvement Project that was circulated for public review in June 2010. Caltrans is accepting comments until Friday, August 5, 2011 at 5:00 p.m.