



August 14, 2006 Update

U.S. 101 Widening Project, Santa Rosa

Closures

- Steele Lane continues to have a reduced number of lanes through 2008. Steele Lane will be closed nights the **August 23, 24, and 25, Wednesday-Friday**, however all ramps will remain open.
- College Avenue continues to have reduced lanes through 2008, but remains open 24 hours a day. Reconfiguration of the lanes is scheduled for the week of **August 21**. This will involve partial or full closures during non-rush hours as crews safely complete the lane reconfiguration. Further details of the new configuration should be available Friday.
- The Third Street undercrossing of U.S. 101 continues to be closed, with a projected **mid-September** opening.
- The Downtown/Third Street offramp continues to be closed.
- There may be various short-term, overnight lane closures along the roadway, connectors, and ramps as crews continue to place concrete barriers, clear medians, and begin rough grading.
- Fifth Street and Ninth Street are tentatively scheduled to be closed around **mid-September**.

Construction

- The Prince Memorial Greenway has closed until Fall. Crews are constructing retaining walls and doing bridge work in the area. The public is reminded that this is an active construction area. Caltrans requests that pedestrians use the pedestrian overcrossing detour and please stay out of the construction zone.
- The contractor continues to do accelerated work at Santa Rosa Creek. Crews are on the job six days a week, 10 hours a day, from 6am-4pm or 7am-5pm.
- At Steele Lane crews will be constructing falsework above the undercrossing overnight, necessitating the closure.

Other issues

- School will be starting again August 16. Motorists are strongly encouraged to seek out and use alternate routes, use public transportation, or other means of transportation.

Thank you Santa Rosa for your patience and support!