



Daily Update

April 8 & 9

Geological Work

Devil's Slide (post mile 39.14)

- Roadway continues to deteriorate. Cracks are getting wider and deeper as slide continues to move.
- Rocks reported falling onto the northbound lane approximately 2000 feet north of Devil's Slide.
- The plan to clear loose boulders and material from 300 feet above the road continues to be developed. Personnel were at the site over the weekend to make further assessments.
- Drilling the first test hole started Saturday morning, 4/8/06, and a depth of 150 feet achieved. Sensors placed into the holes are able to measure the rate at which the slide is moving. Drilling the second test hole is in progress. Drilling and slide movement measurements are expected to take 3 weeks.

Pacifica Slide (post mile 39.77)

- Movement continues. Road has subsided approximately 18 inches and the shoulder approximately 3 feet.

Traffic Operations

- Two new changeable message signs (CMS) were installed Sunday for motorists traveling north on Route 1 just south of Route 84. These signs advise Route 1 is closed and detour options are Route 84 or 92. Trucks are advised to use Route 92.
- To increase public awareness of the dangers at the slide areas, California Highway Patrol officers were stationed at the north and south closure points. Rock falls and construction traffic continue to pose a hazard to those who venture into the area.
- Safety gates added and upgraded make to make the area more secure and safe.

- Trail plans will be reviewed to identify areas where there are no safety concerns from rock falls and construction traffic.