



# Devil's Slide/Hwy 1 Storm Repair

Daily Updates from Bijan Sartipi



**Daily Update**  
June 28

## Repair Work

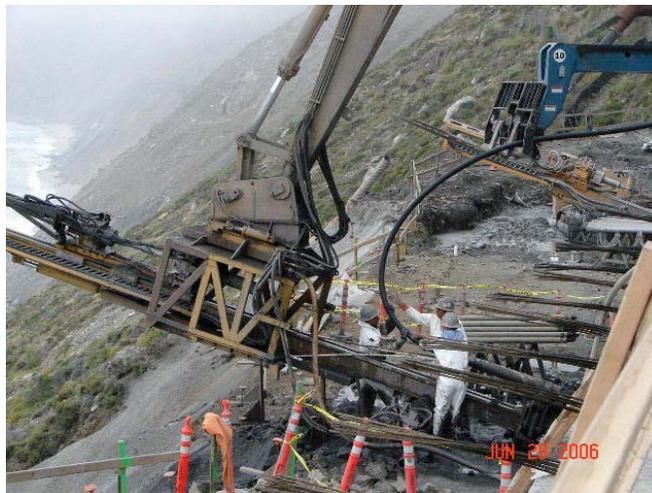
Devil's Slide (post mile 39.14)

- Whaler wall 'A' (upper level ocean side) – 59 of 59 tie backs now installed. All tie backs have been stressed. Selective tie backs will now be re-checked for correct tension.



Stressing wall A tie backs

- Whaler wall 'B' (lower level ocean side) – Drilling for tie backs continues. 12 of 58 installed. Excavating work is complete and rebar installation resumed.



Drilling at wall B – two drill rigs working simultaneously



Continuing with rebar installation at level B

- Whaler wall 'C' (lower level cliff side) – 34 of 34 tie backs now installed. Grouting and stressing tie backs took place today.



Stressing tie backs at wall C

- Compaction grouting continued during the night shift and is now complete.



Injecting grout behind wall A and B

## Public Information

July 4 will be a holiday for crews working at Devil's Slide. Across the State, contractors take the day off to commemorate this national holiday. Next Tuesday will be the first break in 52 days since repair work started on May 13. Such an intensive effort may increase the potential for safety issues due to fatigue, so this is also an opportunity for crews to recuperate.

District Director, Bijan Sartipi, is sure this break will not affect the overall work schedule and is confident Highway 1 will re-open in late September as scheduled.

Caltrans hosted a visit from the PBS television program 'California Connected' today.