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Traffic Shift on U.S. 101 in Rohnert Park

Rohnert Park – Starting next Friday, commuters in Sonoma County will see a big difference in the traffic pattern on U.S. Route 101 as it passes over Wilfred Avenue.

On Friday, July 22, Caltrans will begin to shift northbound 101 traffic onto the newly-built structure on the east side of the highway. By Saturday morning, all northbound traffic will be traveling on the new structure.

Sometime during the week of July 25, southbound traffic will also be shifted onto the new structure. The Santa Rosa Avenue on ramp will also be reopened at that time.

On August 1, the portion of Commerce Boulevard that runs beneath the highway will be closed for a period of twelve days. The closure will enable construction crews to safely demolish the remainder of the old structure.

More information about this project is available on our web page:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist4/wilfredave/>

Updates are also available on Twitter at Sonoma101.

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