



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **Full Closure of Decker Road (State Route 23) in Malibu for Four Days Next Week to Repair Storm Damage**

*Only One Lane Available on Most Days Through March*

MALIBU — The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close a portion of Decker Road (State Route 23) in the city of Malibu for a four-day period starting on Tuesday morning and continuing until Friday night for an emergency project to clean up and repair storm damage.

The full closure will be in effect around-the-clock continuously for four days, starting at 6 a.m. Tuesday, January 31, and is scheduled to end by 9 p.m. Friday, February 3. The schedule is subject to change and weather permitting.

The location of the closure is approximately one mile north of Pacific Coast Highway (State Route 1) in the city of Malibu. The project area is on Decker Road between post mile 0.9 and 1.3. Limited access for emergency vehicles will be provided during the closure.

Following the full closure, only one lane of Decker Road in the project area will be available for traffic between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. on most days through March. Crews will conduct one-way traffic control with flaggers to allow motorists to safely pass.

Flagging is scheduled to be in effect seven days a week from February 4-12 and Monday-to-Friday from February 13 until the project is finished. The estimated completion date is the end of March, subject to change and weather permitting. Workers will remove loosened rocks and other unstable slope material, install wire mesh anchored with rock bolts, and do other work.

During the project, drivers using Decker Road should expect lengthy delays, and Caltrans strongly advises drivers to use other routes. Access Limited Construction Co. of San Luis Obispo County is the contractor on the approximately \$2 million emergency project.

Caltrans reminds motorists to “Be Work Zone Alert” and “Slow for the Cone Zone.”

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