



NEWS RELEASE

Today's Date: Thursday, February 4, 2016

District: 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MAINTENANCE REPAIRS ALONG VARIOUS HIGHWAYS IN SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BEGIN MONDAY

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY—Four maintenance projects along Highways 1, 9 and 17 in Santa Cruz County will take place starting Monday, Feb. 8, Caltrans officials announced today. Details are as follows:

Monday, Feb. 8 and Tuesday, Feb. 9 just north of Scotts Valley:

- Northbound Hwy. 17 from just north of Laurel Curve to Glenwood Dr.
- #2 (right) lane closed for guardrail repair from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm
- Motorists can expect delays up to 15 minutes

Tuesday, Feb. 9, just north of Scotts Valley:

- Southbound Hwy. 17, from Old Santa Cruz Hwy. to Spanish Oaks
- #1 (left) lane closed for drainage work from 9 am to 2:30 pm
- Motorists can expect delays of 5-10 minutes

Wednesday, Feb. 10, near Felton:

- **FULL Closure (both directions) of Hwy. 9, between Paradise Park and Glengarry Rd.**
- **North and southbound grinding and paving from 8 am to 4 pm**
- **Detour is available, motorists can expect delays of 15 minutes (detour time)**

Thursday, Feb. 11, Santa Cruz:

- Northbound Highway 1, between River St. and just north of River St.
- #2 (right) lane closed for grinding and paving from 9 am to 3 pm
- Motorists can expect delays of 10-15 minutes

Electronic message boards will be posted to alert motorists of work being done. The CHP will assist with traffic control and the detour. Roadwork is being done by Monterey Guardrail, San Luis Storm Water, District 4 and Santa Cruz North Maintenance crews. Roadwork is necessary for the safety of motorists and is expected to be completed by Thursday, Feb. 11.

Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway construction zones.

For more information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Santa Cruz County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-423-0396 or can visit our website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#scr>

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