

# NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## **Closures for I-5 HOV Improvement Project (SR-170 – Buena Vista Street)**

*San Fernando Valley* – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes and ramps of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as part of a \$121 million improvement project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV or carpool) lanes in each direction along I-5 between SR-170 to Buena Vista Street. Closures are subject to change. Detours will be signed.

### **Golden State Freeway (I-5) Closures**

*Sunday May 19 through Friday May 24, 2013*

- Southbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)
- Northbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)
- Northbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)



- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
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TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On and Off Ramp  
TIME: 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps  
TIME: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)



- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista Street to Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard  
TIME: One Lane: 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
Three Lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Buena Vista Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 8 p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 5 a.m. on Friday May 24<sup>th</sup>)  
Three lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.

## **About the Project**

Caltrans is building an HOV lane in each direction of I-5 between SR-170 and north of Buena Vista Street in Burbank.

This project will alleviate congestion, encourage carpooling, improve air quality, provide a smoother ride for motorists, and reduce traffic on city streets.

Work began in early 2011 and is expected to be completed in late 2014. Caltrans thanks motorists for their patience and understanding during construction.

