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| **Expo Phase 2 Construction Notice**  Rail Crossing Installation As part of the construction of Phase 2 of the Expo Light Rail Line, work crews will implement an 8-day street closure of Stewart Street for rail crossing installation. The work is being managed and performed by the Expo Phase 2 design-build contractor *Skanska-Rados Joint Venture (SRJV),* and its subcontractors. The closure is scheduled to begin Monday, July 14, 2014 at 8:00 a.m. and will end Monday, July 21, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. Stewart Street will be closed between Exposition Boulevard and Olympic Boulevard. Traffic will be detoured to Centinela Avenue. To view the complete construction notice, please click [here](http://www.buildexpo.org/wp-content/uploads/070214-EXPO-P2-CONSTRUCTION-NOTICE-Track-Installation-Stewart-Street.pdf).  **Caltrans** **Interstate 5 Construction Notices**  Between SR-118 and SR-170 The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will implement closures as part of a project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lanes and a direct HOV lane connector at the I-5/SR-170 interchange. Closures are scheduled to begin Sunday, July 13, 2014 and continue through Friday, July 18, 2014. To view the complete Caltrans Notice, please click [here](http://libraryarchives.metro.net/DB_Attachments/140711_Arleta.pdf).  Between Magnolia Boulevard and Buena Vista Street The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will implement closures as part of the I-5/Empire Project in Burbank. Closures are scheduled to begin Sunday, July 13, 2014 and continue through Friday, July 18, 2014. To view the complete Caltrans Notice, please click [here](http://libraryarchives.metro.net/DB_Attachments/140711_Empire.pdf).  Between Pico Canyon Road/Lyons Avenue and the SR-14 The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will implement closures as part of a project to construct truck lanes on I-5 between Pico Canyon Road/Lyons Avenue and the Antelope Valley Freeway (SR-14). Closures are scheduled to begin Tuesday, July 15, 2015 and continue through Saturday, July 18, 2014. To view the complete Caltrans Notice, please click [here](http://libraryarchives.metro.net/DB_Attachments/140711_truck_lanes.pdf).  **Procurement Posting for Next Week**  Environmental Engineering Services (RFP) Metro will release a Request for Proposals (RFP) next week to procure design services (assessment and engineering) to achieve Metro’s environmental engineering tasks at Metro facilities. The procurement process blackout period is expected to run from Monday, July 14, 2014 through Saturday, January 31, 2015. Any inquiries concerning this procurement action during the blackout period must be directed to and may only be answered by Karen Campbell, Contract Administrator at [CampbellK@metro.net](mailto:CampbellK@metro.net).  **Upcoming CEO Meetings & Events**  Next week, I will meet with Los Angeles Urban League’s CEO, Nolan Rollins and their Director of Government and External Affairs, Adrianne Sears.  Also, I will attend the Community Partner Reception to celebrate the conclusion of the L.A. Union Station and 1st Central Linkages Study. Additionally, I will attend our Metro Board Committee meetings, as well as a Union Station Special Workshop. Lastly, I will be meeting with Metrolink, Mobility 21, California High Speed Rail, County Transportation Commission CEOs and participating in the Regional CEOs meetings. | |
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