



NEWS RELEASE

Date: Tuesday, December 10, 2013
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Nightly Lane and Ramp Closures on Rosecrans Ave. Sunday through Friday, December 15 to 20

Norwalk - Caltrans will work overnight for six consecutive nights to demolish a culvert box (structure) as part of the work to widen the Rosecrans Avenue Undercrossing on Rosecrans Ave., between Bloomfield Ave. and N. Firestone Blvd. The work takes place nightly from 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 15 and through Friday morning, December 20. The work schedule is as follows:

Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, December 15, 16 and 17

Lane Closures on westbound Rosecrans Ave. - 9 p.m. to 6 a.m.

- Both westbound lanes will be FULLY CLOSED.
- One eastbound lane on Rosecrans Ave. will remain OPEN to traffic.

Ramp Closure: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.-

- the northbound Interstate 5 off-ramp at Rosecrans Ave. will be FULLY CLOSED nightly.

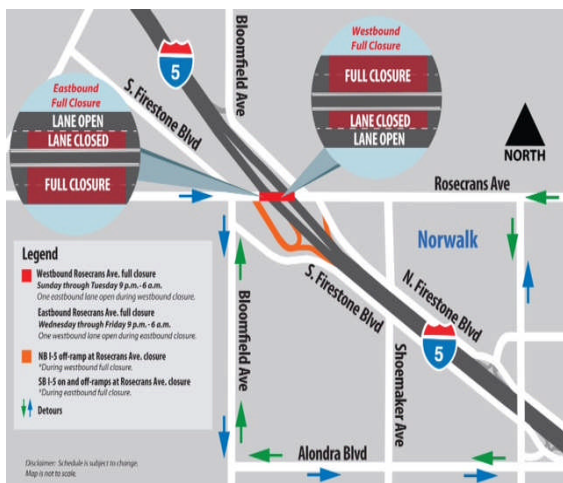
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 18, 19 and 20

Lane Closures on eastbound Rosecrans Ave.- 9 p.m. to 6 a.m.

- Both eastbound lanes will be FULLY CLOSED.
- One westbound lane on Rosecrans Ave will remain OPEN to traffic.

Ramp Closures: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.

- the southbound I-5 on-ramp and off-ramp at Rosecrans Ave. will be FULLY CLOSED nightly.



Access: Flaggers will assist emergency responders, public transportation and pedestrians through the one OPEN lane on Rosecrans Ave.

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Noise will be experienced from back-up alarms, large hammer, work crews and other related equipment.

Additional Lighting is required for the safety of the public and the crews.

Dust Mitigation: Water trucks will be on-site and used to minimize dust during working hours.

Cancellation: Closures and schedules are subject to change or cancellation during inclement weather.

The work is part of the Santa Ana Freeway (I-5) South Corridor Improvement Projects extending nearly seven miles in both directions from the Los Angeles/Orange County line to I-605 to widen the freeway, bridges and overcrossings and add one High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lane and one general purpose lane.

The public is encouraged to sign-up to receive email notifications on freeway lane and ramp closures and local city street closures by calling the I-5 South Corridor Improvement Projects Toll-Free Hotline (855) 454-6335 or by visiting www.I-5info.com

Traffic Information: For timely, accurate and accessible real-time traffic information:

Caltrans Quick Map <http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/> **Caltrans Quick Map**

Caltrans Lane Closure System: www.lcswebreports.dot.ca.gov

Reminder: Ongoing Long-Term Closure on South Firestone Boulevard

South Firestone Boulevard is fully closed in both directions from Rosecrans Ave. to just south of Silverbow Ave. through April 2014. The closure began on December 9. The work involves demolishing the existing roadway and reconstructing S. Firestone Blvd. and realigning the intersection of Bloomfield Ave. and Rosecrans Ave. Detours are posted.

