



Caltrans Construction Notice

I-5 EMPIRE PROJECT

February 26, 2015

Plate & Beam Installation for New Empire Interchange

What

Crews will be installing metal plates and beams for shoring to construct the new I-5 Empire Avenue interchange.

Where

Southbound I-5 shoulder near the old San Fernando tunnel.

When

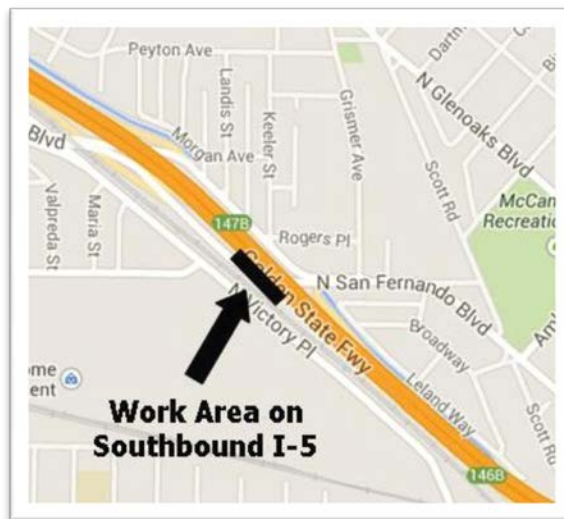
Now through the end of March. Work hours will be 9 p.m. to 5 a.m.

Why

This work is necessary to construct a new full interchange at Empire Avenue, which will improve traffic circulation on city streets and reduce congestion on I-5.

What to Expect

Residents who live near I-5 may hear noise and feel some vibration. This is normal and expected for an operation of this nature. Staff from the Caltrans Noise and Vibration Unit will measure noise and vibration in the residential neighborhood near the construction zone during the operation to ensure that impacts fall within acceptable levels.



► About the Project

The Empire Project is a series of improvements to I-5 in Burbank between Magnolia Boulevard and Buena Vista Street, including: carpool lanes, elevated railroad tracks, reconfigured ramps, a new interchange at Empire Avenue, widening of the Burbank Boulevard Bridge, and more. Information about the project is at My5LA.com.

► Questions?

Visit the I-5 website for more information. You can also call and email us. See contacts below.

- **Website:** My5LA.com, select "Magnolia Boulevard to Buena Vista Street"
- **Toll-Free I-5 Info Line:** (855) 454-6335
- **Email:** Click on 'Contact Us' at the website above.

Dates are subject to change. Sign up to receive automatic project updates by email at My5LA.com or call us on the toll-free I-5 Info Line at 855.454.6335.



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