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| **Tuesday, October 1, 2013131001-1****In this Issue:****El Monte Station Project Receives Award from Engineering News Record California****Caltrans Closure of I-5/I-10 Interchange**  |
| **El Monte Station Project Receives Award from Engineering News Record California** Yesterday, we received notice that the El Monte Station project has received an Award of Merit in the Airports/Transit category from Engineering News Record (ENR) California. Well over 100 award entries were submitted from projects in California and Hawaii, and we are honored and thankful that ENR has selected the new El Monte Station for this award. The new El Monte Station opened in November 2012 and was designed by RNL Design Inc. and Gensler, with construction by KPRS Inc. This prestigious award in the construction industry will be presented to our agency and the project team at a breakfast award ceremony at the Marriott Long Beach on December 5, 2013. Congratulations to the Metro project team for this prestigious award. **Caltrans Closure of I-5/I-10 Interchange** The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will deploy 200 personnel and community service workers for “swarm” maintenance on sections of the I-5/I-10 interchange on Sunday, October 6, 2013 from 5:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Work crews will remove litter and graffiti, trim trees, clear weeds, repair guardrail and irrigation, re-stripe the roadway, re-lamp overhead lights, and replace signs. The following connectors and ramps will be closed:ConnectorsWestbound I-10 to northbound I-5 connectorSouthbound I-5 to eastbound I-10 connectorRampsSouthbound I-5 Mission off-rampWestbound I-10 State Street off-rampNorthbound I-5 State Street on-rampNorthbound I-5 Marengo Street on-rampSouthbound I-5 Mission on-rampEastbound I-10 Mission on-rampSigned detours will be in place, however motorist should expect delays. To see the complete story as posted on The Source, please click [here](http://thesource.metro.net/2013/10/01/i-5i-10-interchange-to-close-for-swarm-maintenance-in-east-los-angeles/).<http://thesource.metro.net/2013/10/01/i-5i-10-interchange-to-close-for-swarm-maintenance-in-east-los-angeles/>  |
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