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Full Street Closure on Centinela Avenue between Beach Avenue and Florence Avenue for the Crenshaw/LAX Transit Project

Centinela Avenue will be closed to traffic until 4 p.m. on Friday, March 17 between Beach and Florence Avenues in Inglewood to build a rail crossing at Centinela and Florence Avenues as part of the Crenshaw/LAX Transit Project construction.

The work consists of demolition, excavation, installation of duct banks, back filling with ballast, installation of rail and components, and minor street improvements.

What to Expect

Right and left turns will be restricted onto Centinela Avenue from Florence Avenue. Local access to La Colina Drive will be maintained. Drivers will be guided by flaggers at the corners of La Colina Drive and Beach Avenue. One southbound lane on Centinela Avenue will be closed between Beach Avenue and Hyde Park Boulevard. There will be eastbound lane reduction on Centinela Avenue when approaching La Brea Avenue.

Detours

- If traveling west bound on Florence Avenue, take La Brea Avenue north to Centinela Avenue.
- If traveling eastbound on Florence turn left to La Brea then turn left on Centinela Avenue.

About Crenshaw/LAX Line

The 8.5-mile Crenshaw/LAX Line is a \$2.058 billion light-rail line that will connect the Green Line and the Expo Line. It will have eight new stations to serve the Crenshaw, Inglewood and LAX communities. It is expected to open in 2019.

For more information on the Crenshaw/LAX Transit Project go to metro.net/Crenshaw or join us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/CrenshawRail> and on Twitter at <https://twitter.com/crenshawrail> or call the project hotline (213) 922-2736.

About Metro

The Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) is unique among the nation's transportation agencies. Created in 1993, Metro is a multimodal transportation agency that transports about 1.3 million passengers daily on a fleet of 2,200 clean air buses and six rail lines. The agency also oversees bus, rail, highway and other mobility-related building projects and leads transportation planning and programming for Los Angeles County.

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