

# CALTRANS TRAFFIC ALERT



Today's Date: May 20, 2011 #11-106  
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## Sierra Roadwork Schedule

**Sunday through Saturday**

**May 22 – May 28, 2011**

*Most traffic interfering work will be limited between*

*Friday, May 27 and Monday, May 30 due to the Memorial Day Holiday*

### LONG-TERM PROJECTS

**Interstate 80 Donner Rest Areas** Work is in progress to replace both rest areas. When this \$3.4 million project is complete, the facilities and parking will be upgraded to meet the demands of the more than three million annual visitors and will be compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act standards. Work is expected to be completed on the westbound rest area by mid-summer 2011. Expected completion for the eastbound rest area is late fall 2011.

**State Highway 49** (Nevada County) Work is scheduled to begin on the \$29 million Highway 49/La Barr Meadows Project that will widen State Route 49 to four lanes

between Little Valley Road and Cornette Way, just south of Grass Valley. The project includes a signalized intersection at La Barr Meadows Road, widening of shoulders, right- turn pockets and new soundwalls. Completion is expected by Fall 2012.

**May 22 – May 28**

**State Highway 49** (Nevada County) from Pingree Road to Cornette Way: Motorists can expect one-way north and southbound traffic control from **9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. Monday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for electrical work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer and Nevada Counties) from Carpenter Flat to Hampshire Rock: Work continues on the \$167 million Emigrant Gap project on Interstate 80. Work includes total roadway replacement with Portland Cement Concrete, improving the drainage systems and installing new sediment/debris collection systems.

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**Interstate 80** (Nevada/Placer Counties) from Yuba Gap to Cisco Grove: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane and ramp closures from **5:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (10:00 a.m. Friday) Monday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for survey and pavement work and striping operation.

**Interstate 80**(Nevada County) from Donner Summit to Donner Lake: Work continues on the \$71 million **Donner III Project** to improve Interstate 80. Work includes repaving the existing roadway with Portland Cement Concrete, reconstructing failed sections of roadway, adding new drainage systems, upgrading existing drainage systems and construction of a new sediment/debris collection system. Completion is expected in Fall 2011.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) eastbound on-ramp at Castle Peak and eastbound off-ramp to Donner Lake: Both ramps will be closed through **October14** due to construction.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada/Sierra Counties) Eastbound from Truckee River Bridge to State Line: Work has begun on a \$1.7 million concrete barrier project, along Interstate 80, east of Truckee. The project will replace existing guardrail with permanent concrete barrier at seven locations. Work on the project will be completed by June 30, 2011.

**May 22 – May 28**

**Interstate 80** (Nevada/Sierra Counties) from Truckee River Bridge to Nevada State Line: Motorists can expect eastbound lane closures and minimal delays from **5:00 a.m. Monday through 1:00 p.m. Thursday**. A contractor is installing concrete barrier at various locations.

## **SHORT-TERM PROJECTS**

**State Route 20** (Nevada County) from Yuba County Line to junction of Interstate 80: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane closures from **8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for crack seal operation.

**State Route 20** (Nevada County) from White Cloud Campground to Washington Road: Motorists can expect one-way westbound traffic control from **midnight to 5:00 a.m. Monday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for bridge work.

**State Route 49** (Nevada County) from Placer County Line to Yuba County Line: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (12:00 noon on Friday) Monday through Friday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**State Route 49** (Sierra County) from Goodyear Bar (4 miles south of Downieville to Yuba Pass Summit (12 miles north of Sierra City): Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A maintenance crew is scheduled for ditch cleaning.

**State Route 49** (Sierra County) from Yuba Pass Summit to Plumas County Line: Motorists can expect various north and southbound lane closures from 6:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from Castle Peak to Donner Park: Motorists can expect east and westbound lane closures from **5:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (10:00 a.m. Friday) Monday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for striping operation.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from Donner Park to Sierra County Line: Motorists can expect various eastbound lane closures from **7:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans maintenance crew is scheduled for miscellaneous work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) from Interstate 80/State Route 193 Separator to Gold Run: Motorists can expect intermittent east and westbound lane closures from **7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer/Nevada Counties) from Cisco Grove to Separate Align: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane closures from **5:00 a.m. (10:00 a.m. Friday) to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for guardrail repair, striping and survey work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer/Nevada Counties) from Nyack to Yuba Gap: Motorists can expect eastbound lane closures from **5:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (10:00 Friday) Monday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for paving and electrical work.

**Interstate 80** (Sierra County) from Nevada County Line to Nevada State Line: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane closures from **7:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous work.

**State Route 89** (Nevada County) from Placer County Line to Deerfield Drive: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A crew is scheduled for pothole repair.

**State Route 89** (Nevada County) from Donner Pass Road to Sierra County Line: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans maintenance crew is scheduled for crack seal operation.

**State Route 89** (Nevada County) from Prosser Dam Road/Alder Drive to Hobart Mills Road: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for trimming trees and brush.

**State Route 174** (Placer County) from Main Street to Bear River Bridge: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**State Route 174** (Nevada County) from Bear River Bridge to Auburn Street: Motorists can expect intermittent east and westbound lane closures from **8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for brush clearing.

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The Caltrans District Traffic Management Branch has reviewed each project and determined that individual project delays are expected to be less than the statewide policy maximum of 30 minutes, unless noted otherwise above.

Lanes are numbered from the center divide (#1) to the shoulder (#2, 3, 4, etc.). Unexpected schedule changes may occur. For current information on roadwork, delays, road conditions and emergency closures, call the voice-activated Caltrans Highway Information Network (CHIN) at 800-427-7623 (ROAD) or visit the Caltrans website at: [www.dot.ca.gov](http://www.dot.ca.gov)

For the latest chain control information in the Northern Sierra, visit the Caltrans District 3 North Region Winter Operations website located at: [www.dot.ca.gov/dist3/departments/mtce/controlmp.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist3/departments/mtce/controlmp.htm)

