

CALTRANS TRAFFIC ALERT



Today's Date: September 2, 2011 #11-214
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Sierra Roadwork Schedule

Sunday through Saturday

September 4 - 10, 2011

Due to the Labor Day holiday, traffic-interfering work will be limited through Tuesday, September 6

LONG-TERM PROJECTS

Interstate 80 Donner Rest Areas (Nevada County) Work continues 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 has begun on the \$29 million Highway 49/La Barr Meadows Project that will widen State Route 49 to four lanes between Little Valley Road and Norambagua 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 sound walls. Completion is expected by fall 2012. **No traffic interfering work is scheduled.**

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 County) from Emigrant Gap to Cisco Grove: Motorists can expect a single, narrow eastbound lane and delays of up to 20 minutes from **7:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for paving work.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) at the Yuba Gap, State Route 20, Eagle Lake Road, Emigrant Gap, Cisco Grove and Rainbow interchanges: Motorists can expect westbound on and off-ramp closures from **5 a.m. to 6 p.m. (12 noon on Thursday) Wednesday and Thursday**. **Consecutive ramps will not be closed**. A contractor is scheduled for paving.

State Route 20 (Nevada County) at the Interstate 80 Junction: Motorists can expect the east and westbound intermittent lane and ramp closures from **5 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. **(Motorists can expect up to 15 minute delays)**. A contractor is scheduled for bridge work.

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) at the Castle Peak and Donner Lake interchanges. Motorist can expect the eastbound on-ramp at Castle Peak and the eastbound off-ramp to Donner Lake closed through **October 14** for reconstruction.

September 7 & 8

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) from Castle Peak to Donner Park: motorist can expect various eastbound lane closures from **6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for miscellaneous construction work.

SPECIAL EVENTS

State Route 49 (Sierra County) in Downieville: Motorists can expect traffic controls between the Downie River Bridge to Main Street on **Sunday between 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.** A Labor Day Donkey Race has been scheduled.

SHORT-TERM PROJECTS

State Route 20 (Nevada County) from the Yuba County Line to the I-80 junction: Motorists can expect north and southbound lane closures from **7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

Wednesday and Thursday. A Caltrans maintenance crew is scheduled for miscellaneous work.

State Route 49 (Nevada and El Dorado Counties) from the Bear River Bridge to Cool: Motorists can expect traffic controls at various locations from **7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

Wednesday and Thursday. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

State Route 49 (Nevada County) from the Bear River Bridge to Yuba County Line: Motorists can expect various north and southbound lane closures from **6:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday.** A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

State Route 49 (Yuba and Sierra Counties) from Marysville Road to the Yuba Pass: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday.** A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

Interstate 80 (Placer County) from Kingvale to Donner Lake: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane closures from **6 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday.** A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) at the Donner Lake interchange: Motorists can expect the eastbound #2 lane closed from **10 p.m. to 11 a.m. Friday and Saturday.** A contractor is scheduled for bridge work.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) from the California Agricultural Inspection Station to the Truckee River Bridge: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane and shoulder closures from **5 a.m. to 8 p.m. (9 a.m. on Thursday) Wednesday through Friday.** A contractor is scheduled for paving and guardrail work.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) at the State Route 89 interchange: Motorists can expect the westbound off-ramp closed from **6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday.** A detour is available. A contractor is scheduled for grinding and paving.

Interstate 80 (Placer County) from Newcastle to Gold Run: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane closures from 7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Wednesday through Thursday.** A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

Interstate 80 (Placer County) at Niels Road and Placer Hills: Motorists can expect traffic controls on the overcrossings from **1 a.m. on Friday through 11 p.m. on Saturday.** A contractor is scheduled for bridge maintenance.

Interstate 80 (Placer County) from Applegate to east of Colfax: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane and ramp closures from **7 p.m. To 7 a.m. Wednesday and Thursday.** A contractor is scheduled for grinding and paving.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) at the State Route 89 North exit: Motorists can expect traffic controls and shoulder closures from **7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for curb, gutter and sidewalk work.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) at the Polaris Undercrossing: Motorists can expect the westbound off-ramp to Prosser Road intermittently closed from **6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for paving.

Interstate 80 (Nevada County) at Union Mills: Motorists can expect the westbound #2 lane closed from **9 a.m. to 12 noon on Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for electrical work.

Interstate 80 (Placer County) from the Yuba Gap to Kingvale: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lanes closed from **7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

State Route 89 (Nevada County) from Interstate 80 to Rainbow Drive: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for utility work.

State Route 89 (Nevada County) at Prosser Creek: Motorists can expect one-way traffic controls from **6 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for bridge work.

State Route 89 (Sierra County) at the Little Truckee River: Motorists can expect one-way traffic controls from **6 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for bridge repairs.

State Route 89 (Sierra County) at the State Route 49 junction in Sattley: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for electrical work.

State Route 174 (Nevada County) from the I-80 junction to the Bear River Bridge: Motorists can expect traffic controls at various locations from **7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

State Route 267 (Nevada County) from Truckee to Northstar Drive: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6 p.m. to 12 noon Wednesday and Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for guardrail work

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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

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