



# NEWS RELEASE

**Today's Date:** Thursday, March 8, 2018

**District:** 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## U.S. HIGHWAY 101 RAMP/LANE CLOSURES IN MONTECITO FOR RESURFACING

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY – Caltrans will close the on/off ramps on US Highway 101 in the Montecito area during the overnight hours for resurfacing in the following locations:

- The US 101 northbound/southbound on-ramps at San Ysidro Road will be closed on Thursday, March 8 from 7 pm until 6 am.
- The US 101 southbound off-ramp at Hot Springs Road will be closed on Thursday, March 8 from 7 pm until 6 am.
- The US 101 northbound off-ramp at Olive Mill Road will be closed on Thursday, March 8 from 7 pm until 6 am.

In addition, motorists will encounter alternating lane closures on southbound US 101 from Sheffield Drive to Hot Springs Road on **Thursday, March 8 from 7 pm until 6 am.**

These ramp/lane closures and resurfacing are necessary following heavy truck traffic during the response to the mudslide and flooding in the Montecito area.

**Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway construction zones.**

For traffic updates in Santa Barbara County, motorists may call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit our website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#sb>

