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

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## FULL OVERNIGHT CLOSURES ON US 101 IN CARPINTERIA NEXT WEEK

CARPINTERIA – The US Highway 101/Linden Casitas Interchanges Project in Carpinteria will result in the following full highway closures next week:

- Northbound US Highway 101 will be closed from Bailard Avenue to Linden Avenue on Monday, May 8 and Wednesday, May 10 from 10 pm until 5 am. Motorists will detour via the off-ramp at Bailard to Via Real to northbound US Highway 101.
- Southbound US Highway 101 will be closed from Linden Avenue to Bailard Avenue on Tuesday, May 9 from 10 pm until 5 am. Motorists will detour via the southbound Linden Avenue off-ramp to Carpinteria Avenue to the southbound on-ramp at Bailard Avenue.
- Southbound US Highway 101 will be closed from Casitas Pass Road to Bailard Avenue on Thursday, May 11 from 10 pm until 5 am. Motorists will detour via the southbound Casitas Pass Road off-ramp to Carpinteria Avenue to the southbound on-ramp at Bailard Avenue.

These closures are necessary for demolition work related to this project. This project will include the reconstruction and widening of the US Highway 101 Overcrossings at Linden Avenue and Casitas Pass Road and the extension of the Via

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Real frontage road from Bailard Avenue to Linden Avenue. The US Highway 101 Overcrossing at Carpinteria Creek will be widened for the planned highway widening.

The contractor for this \$60 million project is Security Paving Company of Sylmar, CA. This project is scheduled to be complete in 2020.

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

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in Santa Barbara County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-568-0858 or visit the District 5 website at: [http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road\\_information.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm)

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