



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SOUTHBOUND STATE ROUTE 99 OFF-RAMP TO WESTBOUND STATE ROUTE 198 CLOSURE SCHEDULED FOR NEXT WEEK

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces a scheduled closure of the southbound State Route 99 off-ramp to westbound State Route 198, near Visalia, in Tulare County. This closure will be necessary to allow construction crews to conduct pavement striping rehabilitation operations to the ramp.

The following closure is scheduled for next week (weather permitting):

The southbound State Route 99 off-ramp to westbound State Route 198, will be closed beginning Tuesday evening, January 10, 2012 through Friday, January 13, 2012 between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. nightly.

This scheduled closure will occur, weather permitting. Closures may continue for longer periods of time if necessary, due to delays caused by weather or uncontrollable events that may occur during maintenance.

This night-time ramp closure is part of the State Route 198 Hanford Expressway Widening Project in Tulare and Kings Counties. Caltrans would like to thank the residents and commuters for their patience during this improvement project. The public is asked to drive with extra care while traveling through the construction area and please **Slow of the Cone Zone**.

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