



CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

Date: Tuesday, September 18, 2012
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CALTRANS WILL ACTIVATE NORTHBOUND STATE ROUTE 41 RAMP METERING SYSTEM TOMORROW AFTERNOON

WHAT: ACTIVATION OF NEW RAMP METERING SYSTEM

WHEN: FULLY FUNCTIONAL BEGINNING TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19TH
FROM 4:15 P.M. UNTIL 6:00 P.M. AND CONTINUING EACH WEEKDAY AT
THE SAME TIME.

WHERE: WITHIN THE CITY OF FRESNO; EASTBOUND & WESTBOUND STATE ROUTE
180 CONNECTORS TO NORTHBOUND STATE ROUTE (SR) 41.

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will activate its first freeway-to-freeway connector ramp meters beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, September 19th at 4:15 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

As part of the activation process, this week, ramp meters have been operating in an “**all green mode**” from **4:15 p.m. to 6:15 p.m.** in order for motorists to become accustomed to the new metering system prior to being fully activated tomorrow. (Vehicles will be stopped at the meters and released two cars at a time per lane).

Various changeable message signs along SR 180 & SR 168 have been activated since Wednesday, Sept. 12th in order to notify motorists of upcoming ramp meter activations.

(Ramp activation schedule subject to change due to unforeseen operations or weather)

For further information regarding this project, contact the Public Information Office at the number listed above.

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