



# NEWS RELEASE

**Today's Date:** Friday, February 19, 2016

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

**Contact:** Susana Z Cruz (bilingual) or Colin Jones

**Phone:** (805) 549-3138 or 549-3189

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## **EMERGENCY GUARDRAIL AND PAVEMENT REPAIR ON U.S. HIGHWAYS 1 AND 68 IN MONTEREY COUNTY MONDAY AND TUESDAY**

MONTEREY COUNTY –A two-day emergency guardrail and pavement repair maintenance project at two locations on U.S. Highways 1 and 68 in Monterey County will take place on Monday, Feb. 22 and Tuesday, Feb. 23, Caltrans officials have announced. Details are as follows:

Monday, Feb. 22, guardrail repair in Carmel Highlands from 9 am to 1 pm:

- **Southbound Hwy. 1 at Fern Cyn. /Corona Rd.**
- One-way reversing traffic control with flaggers
- 10-minute delays anticipated

Tuesday, Feb. 23, pavement repair near Pebble Beach from 10 am to 2 pm:

- **Eastbound and westbound Hwy. 68 at Scenic Overcrossing**
- One-way reversing traffic control with flaggers
- Up to 20-minute delays anticipated, motorists are advised to take alternate route

NOTE: There will be Electronic Message Boards alerting motorists of closures.

The purpose of this project is to provide motorists and bicyclists a safer route to travel. Both the guardrail and pavement damage are due to the recent rains, needing urgent repair. Roadwork is expected to be complete by Tuesday, Feb. 23, weather permitting.

This roadwork is being performed by Monterey Maintenance and Monterey Guardrail crews.

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

For more information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Monterey County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-753-0187 or can visit our website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#mon>

###

