



# NEWS RELEASE

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

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## CALTRANS CONTINUES WORK ON HWY. 1 IMPROVEMENTS NEAR OCEANO

**SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY – A full closure of Hwy. 1 from Rio Road to Gracia Way** remains in effect as Caltrans performs repairs to the highway following a series of winter storms and improving drainage in the area.

Motorists headed **southbound** on Hwy. 1 may detour from Valley Road to Los Berros Road to Hwy. 101 to Tefft Street to Division Street.

Motorists headed **northbound on Hwy. 1** may detour from Division Street to Tefft Street to Hwy. 101 to Los Berros Road to Valley Road. All local roads in the area will remain open.

Motorist delays are not expected to exceed ten minutes. The public will benefit from a smoother ride and improved drainage when this project is completed in late February.

The contractor for this \$264,000 project is Arthur's Contracting of Atascadero, CA.

Caltrans reminds motorists that 'we're here to get you there.'

For traffic updates on other state highways in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit the District 5 website at:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upslo.htm>

