



NEWS RELEASE

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

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

TREE WORK ON U.S. HIGHWAY 101 FROM SUMMERLAND TO MONTECITO THIS WEEKEND

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY – Caltrans will perform emergency tree removal on northbound US Highway 101 from Sheffield Drive in Summerland to San Ysidro Road in Montecito on Saturday, May 7 and Sunday, May 8 from 5 am until 10 am.

Motorists will encounter the closure of the **northbound No. 2 (right) lane** of US Highway 101 during this roadwork. This tree removal will ensure a safe environment on US Highway 101 within this area.

Motorists can expect delays not to exceed 20 minutes. The California Highway Patrol (CHP) will ensure a safe environment for highway workers and the public.

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

For traffic updates on other state highways in Santa Barbara County, motorists may call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-549-3318 or can visit our website at:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/road_information.htm.

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