



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

NORTHBOUND HIGHWAY 17 STORM PREPARATION IN SCOTTS VALLEY THIS FRIDAY

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY– A one-day maintenance storm preparation project on **northbound** Highway 17 between Santa's Village and Crescent Dr. in Scotts Valley will take place on Friday, Oct. 30, Caltrans officials have announced.

Roadwork consists of closing the northbound #1 (left) lane of Hwy. 17 on Friday, Oct. 30 from 9 am to 2:30 pm. Motorists can expect a delay of 15-20 minutes. An electronic message board will be activated to advise the public of this roadwork.

This roadwork is necessary to prepare for potential flooding this winter season.

The Storm Water Crew from San Luis Obispo and the Santa Cruz Maintenance Crew are working collaboratively on this project.

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

For lane closure information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Santa Cruz County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-423-0396 or visit our website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#scr>

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