



NEWS RELEASE

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Full Closure of SR 44 at Sundial Bridge Drive Overcrossing

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) District 2 and the contractor for the Dana to Downtown project on State Route 44 in Redding will close State Route (SR) 44 from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. each night on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 3-5.

Both westbound and eastbound SR 44 will be closed just under the Sundial Bridge Drive overcrossing. On ramps and off ramps to the overcrossing will be open. Detours will be in place and clearly marked.

The highway closures are necessary for the removal of falsework (forms) used during the construction of the new Sundial Bridge Drive overcrossing. This closure will provide the safest operation for both motorists and construction personnel.

Drivers are reminded that the speed limit is 45 mph in the construction zone and to use caution around construction equipment and personnel.

For more information please contact the Public Information Office at 530-225-3260.

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