



COMMUTER ALERT

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District: 8 – Riverside/San Bernardino
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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SUPERPAVE PROJECT ON INTERSTATE 15 BETWEEN HESPERIA AND BARSTOW

SAN BERNARDINO – Caltrans, District 8 began a project last week that is paving Interstate 15 (I-15) in various locations from .8 miles south of Ranchero Road to State Route 58 (SR-58) between Hesperia and Barstow. The \$4.9 million project has been awarded to Sully Miller and will provide a pavement overlay in both directions of I-15 and fog seal the shoulders. The work hours will vary between night and day with lane closures and are dependent on projected traffic volumes and weather conditions. Currently there are two locations of work – one in Hesperia/Victorville and the other in Barstow.

The material used for the overlay is called “Superpave”, which is known for its durable and long-lasting qualities. During the work, lane closures will be essential to protect workers, to ensure that traffic does not travel over the material while it cools, which will ensure the best possible product.

In addition to the lane closures, temporary ramp closures will be necessary to complete paving, striping, and shoulder work. Following is an updated schedule for both project locations:

DATE	LOCATION/LANES	HOURS
Wednesday, 10/14 to Friday, 10/23 No work 10/9-10/23 due to Columbus Day	North & southbound I-15 #1 & 2 lanes closed at various locations from Lenwood Rd. to SR 58	6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Daytime work BARSTOW
Thursday, 10/8	Southbound I-15 E St on ramp closed Mojave on & off ramps closed Roy Rogers on & off ramps closed Only one lane available SB between these limits	8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Night time work VICTORVILLE
Sunday, 10/11	Northbound I-15 Palmdale Rd on & off ramps closed Roy Rogers on & off ramps closed Only one lane available NB between these limits	8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Night time work VICTORVILLE
Monday, 10/12	Southbound I-15 Mojave Rd. on ramp closed Roy Rogers on & off ramps closed Palmdale Rd. on & off ramps closed Only one lane available SB between these limits	8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Night time work VICTORVILLE

The project is expected to be complete in early 2016, weather permitting. Information will be released as it is obtained regarding the schedule of closures. Caltrans asks motorists to plan ahead, check traffic conditions and add extra trip time.

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