



# CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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## I-15 YERMO-PRIMM MEDIAN ALERT

**Barstow** – The Department of Transportation, Caltrans, began a median project on Interstate 15 (I-15) at various locations from Yermo to the Nevada State Line. The safety improvement project will upgrade (or level) the median, improve drainage, and add guardrail. I-15 will be subject to reduced lanes throughout the project limits, Monday through Friday, 24 hours a day. Lane reductions will not take place on northbound I-15 on Fridays. The project is expected to be complete by December 2008, weather permitting.

The following is the lane closure list for the following week:

DATE	LOCATION	# LANES CLOSED	CLOSURE HOURS
Wed night (Jan 10)	Southbound I-15 from north of Afton Rd. to south of Basin Rd.	1 of 2 lanes	5:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m. Temporary Striping
Thurs night (Jan 11)	Southbound I-15 from north of Afton Rd. to south of Basin Rd.	1 of 2 lanes	5:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. Temporary Striping
Tues – Wed nights (Jan 16 - 17)	Southbound I-15 from north of Afton Rd. to south of Basin Rd.	1 of 2 lanes	2:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m. Place K-Rail
Thurs night (Jan 18)	Southbound I-15 from north of Afton Rd. to south of Basin Rd.	1 of 2 lanes	2:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m. Place K-Rail
Fri night (Jan 19)	Southbound I-15 from north of Afton Rd. to south of Basin Rd.	1 of 2 lanes	7:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m. Place K-Rail

Motorists are advised that delays may be up to an hour in either direction. Please plan ahead and make sure your vehicle is in good repair, bring water, snacks and necessary medications. During winter months you may want to bring warm clothing or blankets and always bring a charged cell phone.

Be patient. Relax and merge early. Drivers who wait until the last second to merge cut off other drivers, causing a dangerous chain-reaction of sudden braking. If you slow from 65 to 55 for one mile, you only lose 10 seconds of your travel time.

This “Alert” will be updated weekly for the duration of the project. If you are interested in signing up for email distribution of this alert, please go to our website at [caltrans8.info](http://caltrans8.info) under “CT Connect”. You may also call our office for information at (866) 383-4631.

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