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## **NEW GUARDRAILS TO BE INSTALLED ON STATE ROUTE 71**

**CHINO HILLS** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces the beginning of a safety improvement project on State Route 71 near the city of Chino Hills on Tuesday January 16, 2007. This project will provide upgraded guardrail on the right shoulder of the southbound SR-71 between the Soquel Canyon Parkway on ramp and the Pine Avenue off ramp.

In order to ensure the safety of construction crews and motorists, the number two southbound lane will be closed Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm in the construction zone for the duration of the project. The HOV (carpool lane) and one mixed flow lane will remain open to motorists. Project completion is anticipated in mid April.

Closure signs will be posted to advise motorists of the lane closures. Caltrans encourages motorists to merge early and use caution while driving through the construction area. For updates on Riverside and San Bernardino County state highway work, please go to our website, [www.caltrans8.info](http://www.caltrans8.info) and click on the News and Document Center or call Public Affairs at (909) 383-4631. Remember, at Caltrans, we are here to get you there.

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