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SOUTHBOUND CENTRAL ON & OFF RAMPS WILL CLOSE

RIVERSIDE/MORENO VALLEY - California Department of Transportation, (Caltrans) will close both the southbound on and off-ramps at Central Avenue which is located on the 60/215 freeways. The two day closure of the ramps will begin on Friday, March 14th at 10:00 p.m. and end on Sunday, March 16th at 10:00 a.m. The closure is necessary to perform asphalt paving of the southbound Central on-ramp that ties into Central, as well as paving on a section of Central Avenue located underneath the bridge.

Off-ramp detour: Motorists traveling southbound will exit at Martin Luther King Boulevard, make a left onto Canyon Crest and a left onto Central Avenue.

On-ramp detour: Motorists will take Central Avenue to Canyon Crest, make a right onto Canyon Crest and a right onto Martin Luther King Boulevard.

This construction is part of the more than \$300 million improvement project of the 60/91/215 freeway interchange area. The Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) have partnered with Caltrans in the efforts to improve the mobility of these freeways that carry both commuter and commercial traffic throughout the region.

Caltrans would like to thank motorists for their continued patience and support during the 60/91/215 improvement project. Caltrans asks that motorists please be aware of the construction area and always make a point to ***SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE.***

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