



MEDIA EVENT

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Date: Tuesday, May 15, 2007
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I-40 EMERGENCY BRIDGE PROJECT COMPLETION CELEBRATION

WHO: Caltrans District 8
Skanska Corporation
City of Needles

WHAT: Ceremony celebrating the completion of a project to replace 12 bridges on Interstate 40. This project also utilized the first usage of precast abutments in road construction in California.

WHEN: Wednesday, May 16, 2007
11:30 AM

WHERE: Near Mustang Wash Bridge on I-40 (Post mile 97.622)

WHY: To acknowledge and show appreciation to the local community, Skanska (the contractor), and all who worked so diligently to make this historic project a success.

Photo Op: Officials to perform ceremonial ribbon cutting at Mustang Bridge.

DIRECTIONS:

From Barstow: Head east on I-40. Take the Essex Road exit. Cross over Interstate and re-enter I-40 going westbound.

From Needles: Head west on I-40

Signs will direct motorists to the event location. Parking will be available near the celebration site.

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