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STATE ROUTE 18 TO CLOSE THROUGH “THE NARROWS”

San Bernardino--The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) is closing State Route 18 (SR-18) between SR-138 and Lake Gregory Drive in an area known as “The Narrows” for nine weekdays beginning Monday, July 25, and ending Thursday, August 4. The highway will be closed between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. each weekday.

The Caltrans Rock and Bank Scaling Team will be on site removing slide material from the slope adjacent to the SR-18. Caltrans Maintenance crews will clean drainage inlets/outlets, clean shoulders and remove slide material from underneath the steel cable mesh anchored to the slope.

The full closure is needed to ensure the safety of both the public and the crews working within the closure. A detour is available. Motorists may choose to use an alternate route such as SR-330 or SR-138 during work hours.

Caltrans thanks motorists and the community for their patience.

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