



Public Works
Department

VAN BUREN AND 91 INTERCHANGE WEEKLY BULLETIN

IMPORTANT NOTICE: The Operating Engineers strike *is* still in effect and will continue to impact the Contractor working on this project. We want to assure you that work on the project will continue. However, adjustments in scheduling may be necessary from time to time.

The following is an update to important closure information:

- **The current dates to put up falsework are September 10, 2010 (westbound) and September 18, 2010 (eastbound).**
 - **There is a possibility that the westbound side will also be closed on September 17, 2010 – we will keep you posted.**

These dates are subject to change depending on any developments with the Operating Engineers strike negotiations with the Contractors' Association. Once the strike ends, we will let you know.

The following activities are scheduled for the week of September 7, 2010 to *September 11, 2010 (No work on Labor Day - Monday, September 6)*:

East Side: SR-91 Eastbound-Main Line, Eastbound On Ramp and Van Buren Boulevard (east of the freeway):

- Ongoing retaining wall work (south side of eastbound on ramp)
 - Form, rebar and pour concrete to wall section starting at the east end of the ramp.
- Continue constructing abutment-1-Wall (picture of one of the recently installed abutment wall attached)
- Continue laying footing for retaining walls:
 - Continue forming and placing rebar wall footing
 - Night and day work

West Side: SR-91 Westbound-Main Line, Westbound Off Ramp, Westbound On ramp, and Van Buren Boulevard (west of the freeway):

- Ongoing abutment *wall work*:
 - Backfill and compact (in front and behind wall)
 - Begin to fabricate and erect falsework system
- REMINDER: Weekend Closure "Full Freeway Closure" on Friday night (9/10/2010):
 - They have to close the freeway to workers can safely put up the Falsework beams soffit forms over freeway.

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