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CLOSURES CONTINUE ON NORTHBOUND 215 AT BLAINE

RIVERSIDE – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will conduct full closures on the northbound 215 at Blaine Street. The nighttime closures will begin on Friday, March 30th and continue through Friday, April 13th.

DATES	LOCATION	TIME
Friday 3/30 & 4/13	NB 215	11:00 p.m. – 7:00 a.m.
Monday – Thursday 4/2 – 4/4 and 4/9 – 4/12	NB 215	8:30 p.m. – 4:30 a.m.
Sunday 4/1	NB 215	00:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be **NO** weekend closures of the freeway and **NO** night work on 4/5 & 4/6.

During the closures crews will construct the temporary framing for the bridge at Blaine Street. For obvious safety reasons, for both motorists and crews, a full closure is required. Motorists traveling through the area will use the detour indicated below. Caltrans asks that motorists allow for extra time as delays are expected.

Detour for Northbound 215: Motorists will be taken off the freeway at the Blaine Street off-ramp and put back onto the freeway by using the Northbound 215 Blaine Street on-ramp.

Caltrans wants to thank RCTC and CHP for their support with deploying Freeway Service Patrol (FSP) tow trucks in various construction areas to remove disabled vehicles from the 60/91/215 work zone, reducing the congestion for everyone.

Caltrans also 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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