

# CALTRANS TRAFFIC ALERT



**Today's Date:** September 9, 2011 #11-219  
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## Sierra Roadwork Schedule Sunday through Saturday September 11 - 17, 2011

### LONG-TERM PROJECTS

**Interstate 80 Donner Rest Areas** (Nevada County) Work continues to replace both rest areas. When this \$3.4 million project is complete, the facilities and parking will be upgraded to meet the demands of the more than three million annual visitors and will be compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act standards. Work is expected to be completed on the westbound rest area by mid-summer 2011. Expected completion for the eastbound rest area is late fall 2011.

**State Highway 49** (Nevada County) Work has begun on the \$29 million Highway 49/La Barr Meadows Project that will widen State Route 49 to four lanes between Little Valley Road and Norambagua Way, just south of Grass Valley. The project includes a signalized intersection at La Barr Meadows Road, widening of shoulders, right- turn pockets and new sound walls. Completion is expected by fall 2012. **No traffic interfering work is scheduled.**

**Interstate 80** (Placer and Nevada Counties) from Carpenter Flat to Hampshire Rock: Work continues on the \$167 million Emigrant Gap project on Interstate 80. Work includes total roadway replacement with Portland Cement Concrete, improving the drainage systems and installing new sediment/debris collection systems.

**September 11 & 12**

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from Carpenter Flat Road to Cisco Grove: Motorists can expect a single, narrow eastbound lane and delays from **6:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m. Sunday and Monday**. A contractor is scheduled for paving work.

#### **September 12 - 15**

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from Cisco Grove to Hampshire Road: Motorists can expect a single, narrow eastbound lane and delays of up to 20 minutes from **5 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for paving.

#### **September 12 - 17**

**State Route 20** (Nevada County) at the Interstate 80 Junction: Motorists can expect the east and westbound intermittent lane and ramp closures from 5 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday (Motorists can expect up to 15 minute delays) A contractor is scheduled for bridge work.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from Donner Summit to Donner Lake: Work continues on the \$71 million Donner III Project to improve Interstate 80. Work includes repaving the existing roadway with Portland Cement Concrete, reconstructing failed sections of roadway, adding new drainage systems, upgrading existing drainage systems and construction of a new sediment/debris collection system. Completion is expected in fall 2011.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) at the Castle Peak and Donner Lake interchanges. Motorist can expect the eastbound on-ramp at Castle Peak and the eastbound off-ramp to Donner Lake closed through **October 14** for reconstruction.

#### **SPECIAL EVENTS**

**State Route 89** (Sierra County) at Webber Lake: Motorists can expect intermittent traffic controls from **9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday**. A running event has been scheduled.

#### **SHORT-TERM PROJECTS**

**State Route 20** (Nevada County) from the Yuba County Line to the I-80 junction: Motorists can expect north and southbound lane closures from **6:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans maintenance crew is scheduled for miscellaneous work.

**State Route 20** (Nevada County) from Cattle Drive to Pen Valley Drive: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lanes closed from **7 p.m. to 6 a.m. Tuesday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for miscellaneous construction work.

**State Route 49** (Sierra County) from the Yuba Pass to the Plumas County line: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**State Route 49** (Yuba and Sierra Counties) from Marysville Road to Downieville line: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from Donner Park to the Truckee River Bridge: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lanes closed from **5 a.m. to 8 p.m. (10 a.m. on Friday) Monday through Friday**. A contractor is scheduled for guardrail installation.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) at the State Route 89 South interchange: Motorists can expect intermittent closures of the westbound on and off-ramp from **6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A detour is available. A contractor is scheduled for grinding and paving.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) at the Central Truckee Interchange: Motorists can expect intermittent closures of westbound on and off-ramps from **7 a.m. to 7 p.m. (12 noon on Friday) Monday through Friday**. Contractors are scheduled for paving, curb and gutter work.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) at the State Route 89 North interchange: Motorists can expect intermittent closures of the westbound on and off-ramps from **6 a.m. to 7 p.m. (12 noon on Friday) Monday through Friday**. Detours are available. A contractor is scheduled for grinding and paving.

**Interstate 80** (Nevada County) from the Truckee River Bridge to the Sierra County line: Motorists can expect the #1 westbound lane closed from **7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) from Newcastle to Gold Run: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane closures from **7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) from Ophir Road to Lincoln Way: Motorists can expect various lane and ramp closures from **8 p.m. to 7 a.m. Sunday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for guardrail and drainage work.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) at Niels Road and Placer Hills Road: Motorists can expect traffic controls on the overcrossings from **1 a.m. on Sunday through 11 p.m. on Saturday**. A contractor is scheduled for bridge maintenance.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) at Crother Road, Heather Glen and Illinoistown: Motorists can expect traffic controls on the overcrossings from **1 a.m. on Sunday through 11 p.m. on Saturday**. A contractor is scheduled for bridge maintenance.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) from Applegate to east of Colfax: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lane and ramp closures from **7 p.m. To 10 a.m. Sunday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for grinding and paving.

**Interstate 80** (Placer County) from Gold Run to Emigrant Gap: Motorists can expect various east and westbound lanes closed from **7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**State Route 89** (Nevada County) from Interstate 80 to Rainbow Drive: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for utility work.

**State Route 89** (Nevada and Sierra Counties) from Rainbow Road to Webber Lake: Motorists can expect one-way traffic controls at various locations from **7 a.m. to 4:30 Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled to clear ditches.

**State Route 89** (Sierra County) from Hennes Pass Road to Plumas County line: Motorists can expect one-way traffic controls at various locations from **6:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**State Route 89** (Sierra County) from Sierraville to north of Sattley: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday**. A contractor is scheduled for paving.

**State Route 174** (Nevada County) from the I-80 junction to the Bear River Bridge: Motorists can expect traffic controls at various locations from **7 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A Caltrans crew is scheduled for miscellaneous maintenance work.

**State Route 174** (Nevada County) from the Bear River Bridge to Orchard Springs: Motorists can expect traffic controls at various locations from **8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday**. A contractor is scheduled for driveway work.

**State Route 267** (Nevada County) from Truckee to Northstar Drive: Motorists can expect one-way traffic control from **6 p.m. to 12 noon Monday through Wednesday**. A contractor is scheduled for guardrail and shoulder work.

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**The Caltrans District Traffic Management Branch has reviewed each project and determined that individual project delays are expected to be less than the statewide policy maximum of 30 minutes, unless noted otherwise above.**

**Lanes are numbered from the center divide (#1) to the shoulder (#2, 3, 4, etc.). Unexpected schedule changes may occur. For current information on roadwork, delays, road conditions and emergency closures, call the voice-activated Caltrans Highway Information Network (CHIN) at 800-427-7623 (ROAD) or visit the Caltrans website at: [www.dot.ca.gov](http://www.dot.ca.gov)**

**For the latest chain control information in the Northern Sierra, visit the Caltrans District 3 North Region Winter Operations website located at: [www.dot.ca.gov/dist3/departments/mtce/controlmp.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist3/departments/mtce/controlmp.htm)**

