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## Southbound I-15 at 91 Nighttime Full Closures to Continue Week of January 11

The 91 Project will require nighttime full closures of southbound Interstate 15 at the 91 the week of January 11. Several nights of closures that had been scheduled for the week of January 4 were postponed, due to rain.

The closures have been rescheduled for Monday, January 11 to Friday, January 15. Closures will occur nightly from 10 pm to 5 am to allow crews to install temporary support for the construction of a bridge that is being built to serve as the new express lane connector between the 15 and the 91.

Connecting ramps to the 91 will remain open during the closures. Motorists can expect to see crews setting up construction cones and reducing lanes up to an hour prior to the full closure.

As a detour, motorists can take the southbound 15 connector to eastbound 91, use the McKinley Street off-ramp, and then enter the westbound 91 to reconnect to southbound 15. (Please see detour map on next page).

Motorists are reminded to allow extra travel time, follow the designated detour and watch for construction workers and signs. Motorists also are cautioned to use reduced speeds when approaching the detour route. Speed limits on the 15 and the 91 are set at 55 MPH, and fines are doubled in construction zones.

The 91 Project is adding regular lanes, tolled express lanes, auxiliary lanes and direct express connectors from the northbound 15 to the westbound 91 and from the eastbound 91 to the southbound 15. Improvements to interchanges, ramps, lanes and surface streets also will be

made along the 91 between the Riverside County/Orange County Line in Corona and Pierce Street in Riverside. The new lanes are expected to open in 2017.

For more information, visit sr91project.info, call the helpline at 877-770-9191 or email sr91project@rctc.org.

