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## **LANE CLOSURES SCHEDULED FOR U.S. 101 IN VENTURA COUNTY**

**VENTURA COUNTY** – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close one lane of the northbound Ventura Freeway (U.S. 101) **nightly** beginning Sunday March 10 through Tuesday, March 12 from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. between Bates Road and Casitas Pass Road.

On Tuesday, March 12 and Wednesday, March 13, one lane on southbound U.S. 101 will be closed from Casitas Pass Road to Bates Road from 8 p.m. until 9 a.m. the next day.

The closures are in relation to a six-mile carpool lane project on U.S. 101 from Mobil Pier Road in Ventura County to Casitas Pass Road in Santa Barbara County. Granite Construction is the contractor on the \$102 million project, which began in spring 2012 and will complete in late 2015.

