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Watt Avenue @ U.S. 50 Interchange Project ~Overnight Ramp & Lane Closures: 3-11 to 3-14, 2013~

Sacramento, CA – As part of construction activities for the Watt Avenue @ U.S. 50 Interchange Project, there will be temporary lane and ramp closures for three consecutive nights as follows:

- From 10 P.M. on Monday, March 11 to 5 A.M. on Tuesday, March 12.
- From 10 P.M. on Tuesday, March 12 to 5 A.M. on Wednesday, March 13.
- From 10 P.M. on Wednesday, March 13 to 5 A.M. on Thursday, March 14.

Information about ramp and lane closures is listed below.

Highway On and Off Ramps: There are multiple closure locations for highway on and off ramps throughout the interchange during the closure period. Motorists are advised to drive through the interchange with caution, and to follow posted ramp detour information.

Watt Avenue From Folsom Boulevard to La Riviera Drive: One lane will remain open in each direction during closure periods. Motorists may experience delays.

Interchange Construction: The Watt Avenue @ U.S. Highway 50 interchange project will modify the existing interchange to reduce congestion, install dedicated transit facilities, and improve access and safety for bicyclists and pedestrians. Project work during the current closure periods includes temporary striping and setting of concrete barriers for worker protection.



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Your Patience is Appreciated: Sacramento County understands the challenges and inconvenience that motorists will experience during the closure period. The patience and cooperation of the traveling public is appreciated as work to construct the interchange project continues.

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