



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **CLOSURE OF SOUTHBOUND HWY. 101 ON-RAMP AT HOLLISTER NEXT WEEK**

**GOLETA** - A project to realign Cathedral Oaks Road with Hollister Avenue and replace the Hwy. 101 overcrossing at Hollister Avenue and the Ellwood Overhead at the Southern Pacific train tracks will result in the **closure of the southbound on-ramp at Hollister Avenue for six weeks beginning Monday, April 19.**

Motorists should allow for extra time to use the Glen Annie/Storke Road Interchange especially during the morning and afternoon commute.

The contractor for this \$7 million project is Shasta Constructors Inc. of Redding CA. This project is expected to be completed in May of 2011, weather permitting.

**The Bacara Resort and the Sandpiper Golf Course remain open for business.**

Caltrans reminds motorists that 'we're here to get you there'.

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in Santa Barbara County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 Public Affairs at 805-568-0858 or visit the District 5 website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upsb.htm>

