

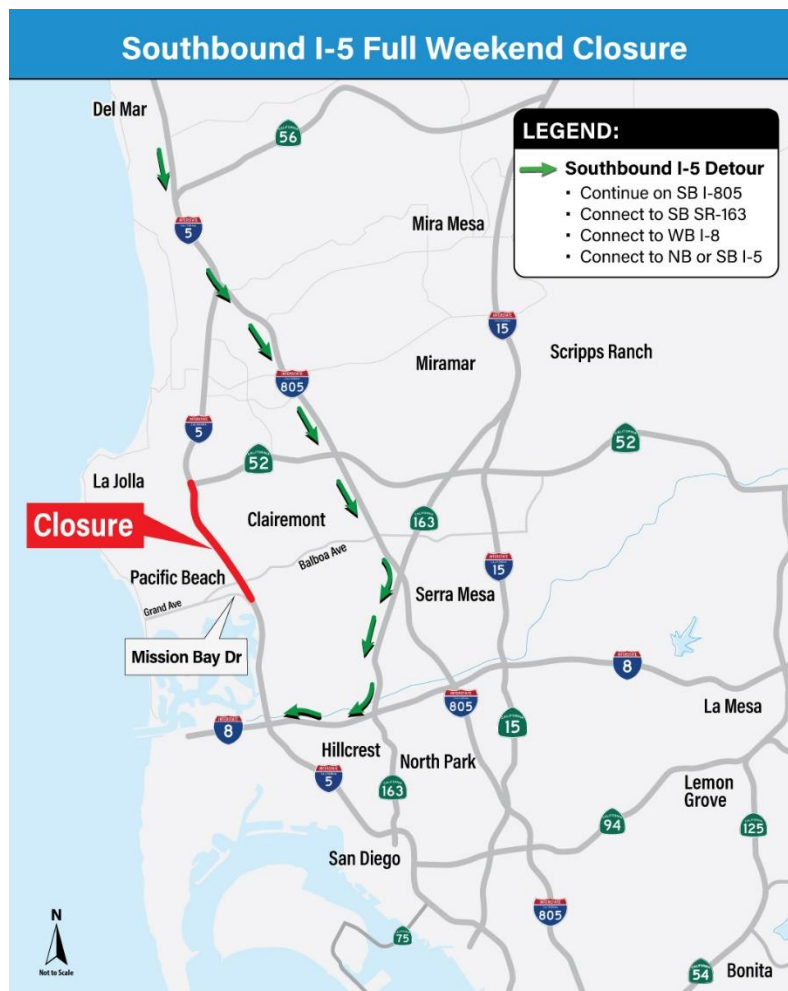
News Release

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Southbound I-5 Closed September 5 to 8 from SR-52 to Mission Bay Dr

SAN DIEGO — The Caltrans I-5 Asset Management Project team will close all lanes of southbound Interstate 5 (I-5) from State Route 52 (SR-52) to Mission Bay Drive starting Friday, September 5 at 10:00 p.m. to Monday, September 8 at 5:00 a.m. to conduct roadwork and culvert replacement.



Southbound I-5 motorists are advised to take southbound Interstate 805 (I-805) at Sorrento Valley, connect to southbound State Route 163 (SR-163), connect to westbound Interstate 8 (I-8) then connect to I-5. Vehicles traveling past southbound I-805 will be able to exit and enter I-5 at Genesee Avenue, westbound La Jolla Village Drive, and Nobel Drive. Entrances and exits at Gilman Drive and eastbound La Jolla Village Drive will be closed. Vehicles driving south of Gilman Drive will be detoured to eastbound SR-52. Vehicles driving westbound on SR-52 will detour to La Jolla Parkway or northbound I-5. Vehicles driving eastbound on La Jolla Parkway will not be able to connect to southbound I-5 and will detour to eastbound SR-52.

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Portable changeable message signs will be placed along the routes advising of the closure and suggesting alternate routes.

This is the first of six full freeway closures in this area for the I-5 Asset Management Project.

Businesses near Damon Avenue should anticipate construction noise and lighting during the closure.

The work schedule is subject to change due to weather, traffic incidents, or other construction considerations.

For real-time traffic information including traffic speed, lane, and road closures due to construction and maintenance activities, and more, go to <http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/>.

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