Construction to Begin on Interstate 5 Carpool Lanes in Encinitas and Carlsbad

Beginning in November, construction teams will begin work to extend a carpool lane on Interstate 5 (I-5) in each direction between Birmingham Drive in the City of Encinitas, and Palomar Airport Road in the City of Carlsbad. This project is expected to be complete by late 2021.

Caltrans and SANDAG invite you to attend an upcoming open house to learn about planned highway improvements, what to expect during construction, and alternate transportation options and commuting resources during construction. Attendees also will have the opportunity to learn more about current construction activities to double track the coastal rail line, create new bike/pedestrian connections, and restore vital coastal habitat.

Sign up for project updates at KeepSanDiegoMoving.com/BuildNCC or text BuildNCC to 313131 to receive construction alerts. For questions, please call 844-NCC-0050.

JOIN US FOR AN I-5 CONSTRUCTION OPEN HOUSE!

DATE: Tuesday, October 2, 2018
TIME: 6–8 p.m.
LOCATION: San Dieguito Academy Media Center
800 Santa Fe Drive
Encinitas, CA 92024

DATE: Wednesday, October 10, 2018
TIME: 6–8 p.m.
LOCATION: Holiday Inn Carlsbad Horizon West Conference Room
2725 Palomar Airport Road
Carlsbad, CA 92009

About Build NCC

Build NCC is a collaborative effort between San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG), Caltrans, and United States Department of Transportation. The first phase of construction is in the cities of Solana Beach, Encinitas, and Carlsbad as part of the North Coast Corridor Program. Build NCC includes extending the existing carpool lane on I-5 in each direction from Lomas Santa Fe Drive to State Route 78, double tracking the rail line and replacing the highway bridge at the San Elijo Lagoon, replacing the rail bridges at the San Elijo Lagoon, restoring the San Elijo Lagoon, and constructing nearly 10 miles of new bike and pedestrian trails. Construction on Build NCC began in early 2017 and will be complete by 2021.