



Cabrillo Boulevard Bridge Replacement

Project Update: March 2015

Stage 1 of construction is complete, and crews have set up traffic control for Stage 2. During this second stage of construction, the mountain side of the bridge will be removed and replaced.

To view the current construction layout and activity, please visit www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CabrilloBridge and click on the project photo icon. Through traffic is encouraged to use alternative routes including Garden, Yanonali, and State Streets to visit Stearns Wharf or bypass the construction area.

Upcoming Work:

Over the next month, crews will begin initial excavation of existing bridge supports and surveys for upcoming demolition. Later in March, support materials for the new bridge will be delivered and creek shoring will begin.

Closures:

Throughout Stage 2, the mountain side of Cabrillo Boulevard will remain closed near the bridge. At least one lane in each direction remains open on Cabrillo Boulevard during daytime construction for vehicular use. Helena Avenue is closed to vehicles at Cabrillo Boulevard, but access will remain for pedestrians, bikes, and segways. The majority of the parking lot at 21 Helena Avenue is closed for construction staging.

To accommodate the work area, the left turn lane from westbound Cabrillo Boulevard to Stearns Wharf is closed. Motorists will be able to enter Stearns Wharf from State Street and eastbound Cabrillo Boulevard. Detour signs are in place to highlight access around the closures.

In the park area, sidewalks and pedestrian pathways remain open with temporary pathways as needed to accommodate utility and bridge work.

Fall 2014 - 2016:

The Cabrillo Boulevard Bridge Replacement Project includes a new bridge, enhanced Mission Creek banks, and improved pedestrian areas. Cabrillo Boulevard, surrounding businesses, parks, Stearns Wharf, and the Arts and Crafts Show will remain open throughout construction.

For more information, please visit www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CabrilloBridge or call [805-897-2637](tel:805-897-2637). Please see the following project overview graphic to see construction stage work.

If you have questions or would like to add/remove someone to these project updates, please respond to this email.

