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Construction Notice

Los Peñasquitos Rail Bridges Replacement Project Construction Update

Beginning this week, crews will start the final phase of construction on the four new rail bridges that cross over the Los Peñasquitos Lagoon. On the northernmost rail bridge, the last phases of work include removing the old wooden trestle piles below the surface of the lagoon to preserve the natural habitat and tidal flow and securing the concrete foundations of the new bridge. Residents may see divers in the lagoon during this time. At the southernmost rail bridge, crews have completed installing all of the support columns and will begin welding the cap plates. Residents can expect daytime noise and some lights between 6 a.m. and 6 p.m. during the week. Construction on the four bridges is anticipated to be complete in spring 2017.

Construction Work Schedule

Dates: December 8 to Mid-January

Hours: 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Work schedules are subject to change.

Crews will take all reasonable steps to minimize noise and other impacts to nearby residents and businesses. Thank you for your patience.



Crews drive the last of the bridge piles at the southernmost rail bridge.

About the Project

SANDAG is working in collaboration with North County Transit District (NCTD) to construct approximately \$1 billion in improvements in the San Diego segment of the LOSSAN coastal rail corridor over the next 20 years, including a primary effort to double track 97 percent of the corridor from Orange County to Downtown San Diego. Other infrastructure improvements along the LOSSAN corridor include bridge and track replacements, new platforms, pedestrian crossings, and other safety and operational enhancements. Many of the rail improvement projects are part of a package of transportation, environmental, and coastal access enhancements within the [North Coast Corridor Program](#).

Si desea obtener información en español por favor comuníquese al (619) 699-1950 o pio@sandag.org.

Work Area Map



Project Photo Album

Check out more photos of the lagoon bridges and construction



TRAIN HORN RULES

Federal regulations require train conductors to sound the horn when approaching an active construction site, even in a quiet zone. Train horns serve as a warning system to ensure the safety of railroad workers. More information and rules governing the use of train horns can be found on the Federal Railroad Administration's website at www.fra.dot.gov.

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