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Weekend Rail Service Closures Planned in January 2016

Nearby Residents Can Expect Nighttime Noise from Construction Activities

During three weekends in January, rail service will be temporarily suspended between Oceanside and San Diego along the Los Angeles-San Diego-San Luis Obispo (LOSSAN) coastal rail corridor due to planned Absolute Work Windows (AWWs). AWWs are select weekends that allow crews to meet significant construction milestones and work unimpeded while all rail services are halted. No passenger or freight trains will run through the corridor between early Saturday morning and early Monday morning. Regular passenger rail service will resume in time for the morning commute on Mondays. The construction schedule is weather permitting.

For train schedule information, please visit <u>GoNCTD.com</u>, <u>Amtrak.com</u>, and <u>MetrolinkTrains.com</u>.

AWW Construction Work Schedule

Dates: Saturday, January 9 – Monday, January 11

Saturday, January 16 – Monday, January 18 Saturday, January 23 – Monday, January 25

Hours: 24 hours a day beginning Saturday morning at

12:30 a.m. to Monday morning at 3:00 a.m.

Nearby residents can expect to hear overnight noise from construction activities.

Crews Continue Work on Key Rail Improvement Projects

Construction crews are working to replace four wooden trestle railway bridges as part of the <u>Los Peñasquitos Lagoon Bridges</u> <u>Replacement Project</u>. During the January AWWs, workers will

Crews work to place CISS piles at the northernmost bridge at the Los Peñasquitos Lagoon.

continue to install Cast-in-Steel-Shell (CISS) piles, or support columns, on three of the bridges. To date, more than 80% of the piles have been installed at the northernmost rail bridge and its remaining center piles will be installed by late January.

SANDAG also will continue construction on the CP Rose Track Crossovers Project, an element of the Elvira to Morena Double Track Project. The work will consist of removing and replacing track and installing one new rail crossover. This phase of the project is anticipated to be completed in summer 2016.

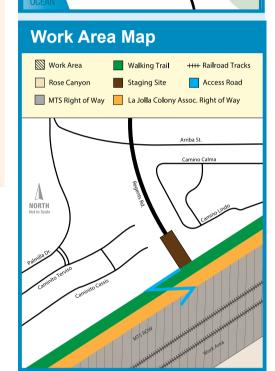
SANDAG and North County Transit District (NCTD) will work to minimize noise and other impacts to nearby residents and businesses during construction. Thank you for your patience.

About the Project

SANDAG is working in collaboration with 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 undercrossings, 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 Bridge III Existing Track DEL MAR Games Valley Road Torrey Pines State Beach Park SAN DIEGO SAN DIEGO



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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