



CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

Build NCC Construction Scheduled to Begin Next Week

Construction will begin next week in the North County on Build NCC highway and rail improvements. Initial work includes fencing off construction areas and removing vegetation along the freeway and rail line between Cardiff-by-the-Sea and Solana Beach. This preliminary work will take approximately six weeks to complete and will occur Monday through Friday, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 5 p.m., with some intermittent night work as needed.

During vegetation removal and construction along I-5, the San Elijo Lagoon trail just east of



I-5 will be closed to maintain public safety in the area. To view a map of trail closures, please click <u>here</u>.

To view the specific areas where vegetation removal will be taking place along I-5 and the rail line, please view the maps below.

Residents near I-5 and the rail line in Solana Beach and Encinitas can expect to see construction equipment and vehicles moving in and out of the work areas.

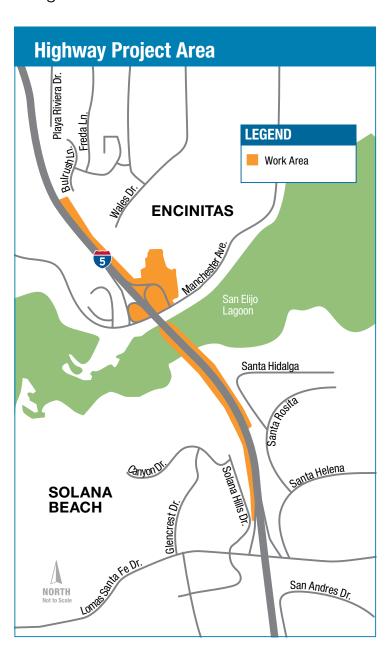
Upon project completion, crews will replace removed vegetation with non-invasive landscape native to the region's coastal zone, which includes nearly 400 trees, while protecting lagoon views. The new landscape will be irrigated with 100 percent recycled water, which will be turned off once the vegetation has been established.

About Build NCC

Build NCC is the first phase of the North Coast Corridor (NCC) Program in the cities of Solana Beach, Encinitas, and Carlsbad. Build NCC includes extending the existing carpool lanes on I-5 in each direction from Lomas Santa Fe Drive to State Route 78, double tracking the rail line from Cardiff-by-the-Sea to Solana Beach, replacing the highway and rail bridges at the San Elijo and Batiquitos lagoons, restoring the San Elijo Lagoon, and constructing nearly 10 miles of new bike and pedestrian trails. Construction on the first phase is expected to be completed by 2021.

During construction, motorists are reminded to slow down. Not only is it required by law, it helps save lives. We appreciate your patience during construction.





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