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## SMART FREEWAY PILOT PROJECT Temecula/Murrieta



### Week of April 14, 2025



The I-15 Smart Freeway Pilot Project will require nighttime closures of the northbound I-15 Temecula Parkway on-ramp and lane reductions on April 16 and 17 to allow crews to work on the on-ramp shoulder and safely place k-rail.

Please see closure details below. Construction activity and closures are subject to change due to inclement weather and other factors.

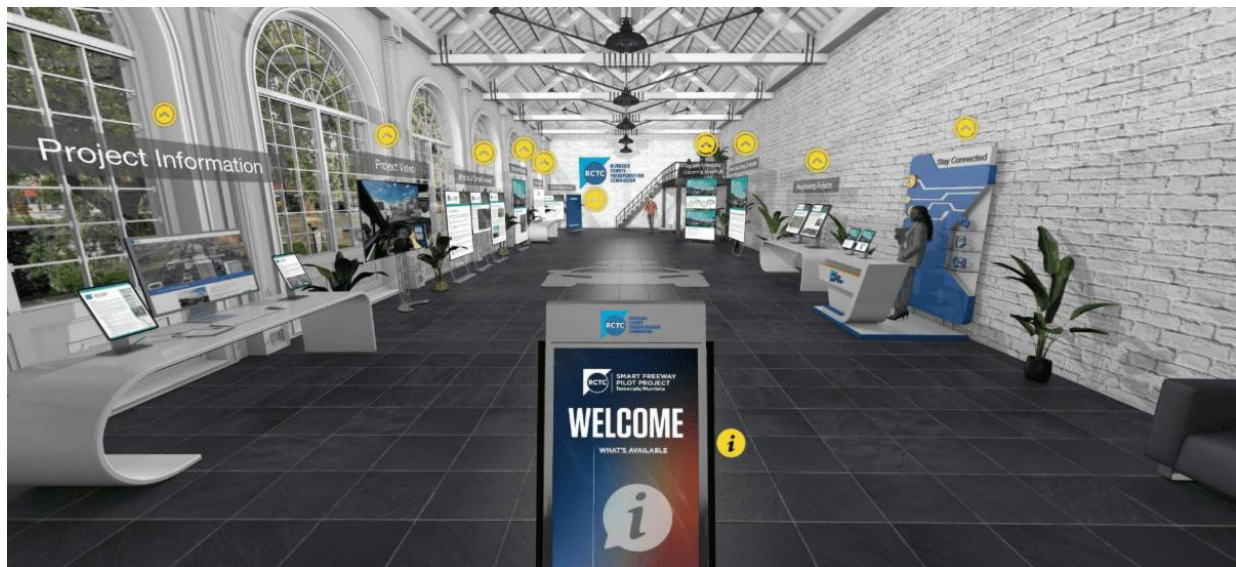
## Highway Closures and Ramp Closures

Date/Time	Activity and Location	Detour
Wednesday, April 16 – Thursday, April 17 Nightly 10 p.m. – 6 a.m.	Northbound I-15 lane reductions from CHP to Winchester Rd.	No detour required, since other lanes will remain open
Wednesday, April 16 – Thursday, April 17 Nightly 8 p.m. – 5 a.m.	Northbound I-15 Temecula Parkway On-Ramp	<a href="#">Temecula Parkway to northbound Old Town Front Street, eastbound Santiago Road, to Ynez Road to Rancho California Road to enter northbound I-15</a>

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## Neighboring Projects

**I-15 / French Valley Parkway Improvements:** Work is currently underway in Temecula to reduce congestion and improve safety by relieving the I-15/Winchester Road interchange and minimizing weaving movements on I-15 between Winchester Road and the I-15/I-215 Junction. For information and construction details, please visit the **project webpage**.

## Project Background

RCTC, in partnership with Caltrans, the City of Temecula, and the Western Riverside Council of Governments, will be implementing an innovative technology along the northbound Interstate 15 (I-15) in Temecula and Murrieta that is anticipated to improve traffic operations.

The I-15 Smart Freeway Pilot Project will use “smart” technology to continuously monitor real-time traffic conditions along northbound I-15 in Temecula. This section of northbound I-15 encounters high traffic congestion from cars entering the Temecula Parkway, Rancho California Road, and Winchester Road on-ramps during peak afternoon and evening hours. The coordinated system will improve traffic flow by adjusting the optimal number of vehicles to enter and efficiently travel on the I-15.



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