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SMART FREEWAY PILOT PROJECT Temecula/Murrieta



Week of May 19, 2025

Northbound 15 Temecula Parkway On-Ramp Closure Continues with I-15 and I-215 Lane Reductions

The extended closure of the Temecula Parkway on-ramp for northbound I-15 is scheduled to continue **through Monday, May 19 at 5 a.m.** as crews finalize work along the on-ramp. During the week of May 19, northbound I-15 lane reductions, northbound and southbound I-215 lane reductions, and nighttime on-ramp closures are also scheduled.

For more information about the extended closure, visit our closure page below:

Closure
Details



Additional closure details for the week of May 19 are below. Construction activity and

Highway Closures and Ramp Closures

Date/Time	Activity and Location	Detour
Through Monday, May 19 at 5 a.m.	Extended Closure of Temecula Parkway On- Ramp for Northbound I-15	Temecula Parkway to northbound Old Town Front Street, eastbound Santiago Road, to Ynez Road to Rancho California Road to enter northbound I-15
Monday, May 19 - Thursday, May 22 Nightly, 8 p.m. - 5 a.m.	Northbound I-15 Temecula Parkway On-Ramp	Temecula Parkway to northbound Old Town Front Street, eastbound Santiago Road, to Ynez Road to Rancho California Road to enter northbound I-15
Monday, May 19 12:01 a.m. – 6 a.m.	Northbound I-15 lane reductions from CHP to just north of Temecula Parkway.	No detour required, since other lanes will remain open
Monday, May 19 – Thursday, May 22 Nightly, 11 p.m. – 6 a.m.	Northbound I-215 lane reductions from I-15/I-215 Interchange to Los Alamos Rd.	No detour required, since other lanes will remain open
Tuesday, May 20 – Thursday, May 22 Nightly, 11 p.m. – 6 a.m.	Southbound I-215 lane reductions from Los Alamos Rd. to the I-15/I-215 Interchange	No detour required, since other lanes will remain open

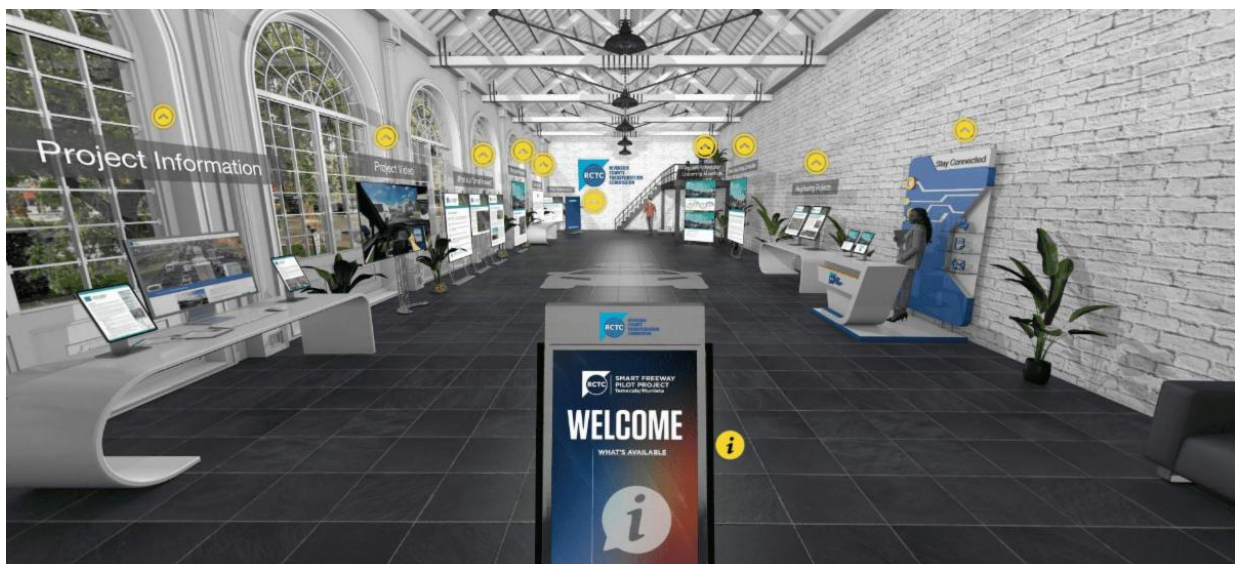
Northbound I-15 Temecula Parkway On-Ramp Closure Detour



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Neighboring Projects

I-15 / French Valley Parkway Improvements: Phase 2: Work is nearly complete 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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