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Watt Avenue @ U.S. 50 Interchange Project Overnight Ramp Closures: 11-26 to 11-30, 2012

Sacramento, CA – As part of construction activities for the Watt Avenue @ U.S. 50 Interchange Project, there will be temporary full ramp closures for five consecutive evenings from November 26 to 30, from 9 P.M. to 6 A.M. each night. Ramp closure details are listed below:

Ramp Closure Locations

1. Westbound U.S. 50 Off-Ramp to Northbound Watt Avenue.

- **Detour:** Motorists can take the off-ramp to southbound Watt Avenue and make the first available legal U-Turn (Manlove Road), or from westbound U.S. 50, motorists can take Bradshaw Road north to Folsom Boulevard west to Watt Avenue.

2. Eastbound U.S. 50 Off-Ramp to Southbound Watt Avenue.

- **Detour:** Motorists can take the off-ramp to northbound Watt Avenue, off-ramp to La Riviera Drive, west to left-turn onto southbound Watt Avenue or from eastbound U.S. 50 motorists can take Howe Avenue south to Folsom Boulevard and then east to Watt Avenue.

Scheduled Closure Period

Ramp closures are scheduled for five consecutive evenings from November 26 to 30, from 9 P.M. to 6 A.M. each night. The ramp closure period may be rescheduled or extended due to the impacts of inclement weather.



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Interchange Construction: The Watt Avenue @ U.S. Highway 50 interchange project will modify the existing interchange to reduce congestion, install dedicated transit facilities, and improve access and safety for bicyclists and pedestrians. Project work during the current closure period includes temporary striping and setting of concrete barriers for Phase 1 work activities.

Your Patience is Appreciated: Sacramento County understands the challenges and inconvenience that motorists will experience during the closure period. The patience and cooperation of the traveling public is appreciated as work to construct the interchange project continues.

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