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SR 178/Fairfax Road Interchange Eastbound freeway traffic to move onto new roadway

Security Paving Company (SPC), the contractor for the SR 178/Fairfax Road Interchange Project, plans to move eastbound State Route (SR) 178 traffic from the eastbound on and off ramps onto the new freeway on Friday, August 14, 2009. SPC also plans to open the Fairfax Road Bridge to north/south traffic on Friday.

Following the traffic shift, SPC will close the eastbound on and off ramps at Fairfax Road to complete the final paving and remaining work on these ramps. This work is expected to take about two weeks.

During the closure, there will no access between Fairfax Road and SR 178, north or south of the freeway. Motorists south of the freeway should use Oswell Street for access to/from SR 178. Motorists north of the freeway should continue to use Oswell Street or Morning Drive for access to/from SR 178.

Intermittent single lane closures on westbound SR 178 may also occur Monday through Friday between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. as project construction continues.

The Thomas Roads Improvement Program wishes to thank the motoring public for their patience and cooperation during the construction.

For updated construction information, please visit the website at www.bakersfieldfreeways.us.

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