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STATE ROUTE 210/PEPPER AVENUE INTERCHANGE

Rialto, CA

Q & A

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What is the project?

Construction is under way on the new State Route 210 interchange with Pepper Avenue in Rialto. The San Bernardino County Transportation Authority (SBCTA) is leading the construction effort, in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation and the City of Rialto.

The interchange will provide a connection between the recently extended Pepper Avenue and SR-210, offering a new option for commuting and moving goods through the region. Work will take approximately one year to complete, with the new facility expected to open in mid-2018. Ramps will be built in a tight diamond shape with two lanes per ramp. The eastbound and westbound on-ramps will include carpool lanes and ramp meters.

What type of construction is taking place near State Route 210 and Pepper Avenue?

The San Bernardino County Transportation Authority, in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation and the City of Rialto, is building a new interchange between State Route 210 and Pepper Avenue. The ramps will be built in a tight diamond shape with two lanes per ramp. The eastbound and westbound on-ramps will include carpool lanes and ramp meters.

Why is this project needed?

The interchange will provide a direct connection between the recently extended Pepper Avenue and SR-210, offering a new option for drivers.

How long will construction last?

Work will take approximately one year to complete, with the new facility expected to open in mid-2018. Construction will occur in two project phases:

Phase 1

- Widening Pepper Avenue to Highland Avenue
- Building on-ramps and off-ramps
- Constructing retaining walls beneath the bridge
- Installing traffic signals
- Placing irrigation systems and landscaping

Phase 2*

- Connecting new ramps to Route 210 lanes
- Restriping roadway

*Note: Phase 2 work will be limited to the final 80 days of project construction.



How will construction affect me?

Early work will include the relocation and reinstallation of a 30-inch water line on Pepper Avenue near Highland Avenue. This will require a temporary closure of Pepper Avenue; a detour route will be provided. Throughout construction, efforts will be made to avoid significant impacts to residents, businesses and motorists. Work will be restricted to daytime hours and will occur Mondays-Fridays and occasional Saturdays. The contractor will follow city and county noise ordinances, with noise monitoring to be performed.

How can I keep myself and my family safe while construction is occurring?

Please remember to:

- Slow down near the construction area
- Allow extra time to get to work and school
- Do not walk or ride in the construction site
- Watch for workers and equipment
- Look for changing conditions
- Note road closures and follow detours

How can I receive more information about the project?

For questions about construction activities, stay connected via social media or by calling (909) 884-8276.

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