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## **Night Closures Begin Tonight, Tuesday, November 3, for SR-219/Kiernan Avenue Bridge over State Route 99**

(Salida, CA)—Intermittent night closures, in one or more directions, of the SR-219/Kiernan Avenue Bridge over State Route 99 will begin tonight, Tuesday, November 3, 2015, and will occur through the first week in December.

Each night when work is being done, the closures will occur for approximately seven hours from 10:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. the following morning. However, these closures will not occur on Friday nights, Saturday nights, and holidays.

The work is a key component in the third of four stages of the State Route 99 (SR-99)/State Route 219 (SR-219) Kiernan Avenue Interchange Reconstruction Project.

Electronic and print signs will guide motorists, bicyclists, and pedestrians to detours.

The work is scheduled to begin as listed, but is subject to change due to traffic incidents, weather, availability of equipment and/or materials, and other construction-related issues.

The SR-99/SR-219 Kiernan Avenue Interchange is being reconstructed to help meet future traffic demands, alleviate traffic congestion, and improve the overall operation of the interchange. The project includes the following primary improvements:

- ◆ Replacing the existing bridge, as well as the on- and off-ramps
- ◆ Constructing a new auxiliary lane in each direction on SR-99 from Kiernan Avenue to Pelandale Avenue
- ◆ Adding a lane in each direction on Kiernan Avenue
- ◆ Providing improved operations for turning movements to and from SR-99
- ◆ Constructing associated local road improvements at Sisk Road and Salida Boulevard
- ◆ Constructing a storm drain pump station (completed)

Construction of the SR-99/SR-219 Kiernan Avenue Interchange is anticipated to be complete in fall 2016. For the safety of workers and other motorists, please **Slow for the Cone Zone**.