



PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Availability of the Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration and Notice of Public Meeting.

WHAT IS BEING PLANNED?

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has prepared an Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration (IS/ND) for the State Route (SR) 1 Centerline Rumble Strip Project (Project). Caltrans proposes to install four discontinuous segments of centerline rumble strip and widen the shoulders to 6 feet at 50 spot locations between Post Mile (PM) 0.00 and PM 58.58 on SR 1 in Sonoma County, California.

WHY THIS AD?

Caltrans is the lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Per CEQA Section 15073, Caltrans will circulate the IS/ND for review for 30 days from January 17, 2023, to February 15, 2023. During the 30-day public review period, the general public and responsible and trustee agencies can submit comments on the IS/ND to Caltrans. Caltrans will consider the comments and will respond to the comments after the 30-day public review period.

In addition, this Project will be discussed at the Sonoma County Coast Municipal Advisory Council's virtual public meeting on January 19, 2023 at 5:30pm, at the zoom link here:

<https://sonomacounty.zoom.us/j/92770439049?pwd=dG5uS1lxa2x3K3NVYIRNamlaNkVpdz09>

After comments have been received from the general public and responsible and trustee agencies, Caltrans may:

1. Grant environmental approval to the Project.
2. Conduct additional environmental studies.
3. Abandon the Project.

If the Project is granted environmental approval and funding is obtained, Caltrans could design and construct all or part of the Project.

WHAT IS AVAILABLE?

The IS/ND describes why Caltrans proposes the Project, how the existing environment could be affected by the Project, potential environmental

impacts, and the project features and avoidance and minimization measures.

The IS/ND, maps, and Project information are available to download at the [District 4 Environmental Documents by County](https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-4/d4-popular-links/d4-environmental-docs) website (<https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-4/d4-popular-links/d4-environmental-docs>). In addition, hardcopies of the IS/ND will be made available at the following locations in the vicinity of the Project:

- Sonoma County Regional Library, 755 West Napa Street, Sonoma, CA 95476
- Guerneville Regional Library, 14107 Armstrong Woods Road, Guerneville, CA 95446
- Cotati Regional Library, 6250 Lynne Conde Way, Rohnert Park, CA 94928

WHERE YOU COME IN?

Please read the IS/ND and attend the public meeting on January 19, 2023. We would like to hear what you think. Send comments by February 15, 2023 to:

Caltrans, District 4
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CONTACT

For individuals with sensory disabilities, the IS/ND can be made available in Braille, in large print, on audiocassette, or on computer disk by writing to the Caltrans District 4 mailing or email address or by calling **California Relay Service** at **(800) 735-2929 (TTY)**, **(800) 735-2922 (Voice)**, or 711.

An accessible electronic copy of the IS/ND is available to download at the [District 4 Environmental Documents by County](https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-4/d4-popular-links/d4-environmental-docs) website (<https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-4/d4-popular-links/d4-environmental-docs>).