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**MEASURE S STREET PAVING SCHEDULED FOR
NORTH FREMONT AS PART OF BIKE AND PEDESTRIAN
ACCESS AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT**

Tuesday, July 23 – Saturday, July 27

Monterey, CA. – Paving operations are scheduled for July 23 – July 27, 2019 on North Fremont Street and from Casanova Avenue to Casa Verde Way. To minimize impacts to residents and businesses, crews are combining paving operations from the North Fremont Bike & Pedestrian Access and Safety Improvements Project with paving for the existing asphalt shoulder/parking areas along North Fremont Street as part of Monterey's Measure S Fixing Streets Initiative.

The paving schedule is as follows:

- **Tuesday NIGHT 7/23, 8:00 p.m. – 6:00 a.m.:** Casanova Avenue (north side) and portions of the intersection. Impact: North Fremont Street westbound (toward Monterey) will be closed from Canyon Del Rey to Casanova Avenue during work hours. The north side of Casanova Avenue will be re-opened on 7/24 by 6:00 a.m.
- **Wednesday 7/24:** No paving work, crews transition to daytime work
- **Thursday DAY 7/25, 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.:**
 - Shoulder on North Fremont Street - westbound (toward Monterey) Casanova Avenue to Casa Verde Way. Impact: lane restrictions during this moving operation only.
 - North side of Dela Vina Avenue intersection – Impact: closure of Dela Vina Avenue north side (ONLY while paving, approximately four (4) hours).

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- **Friday DAY 7/26, 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.:**
 - Shoulder on North Fremont Street - eastbound (toward Seaside) from Casa Verde Way to Casanova Avenue. Impact: lane restrictions during this moving operation only.
 - South side of Airport Road intersection. Impact: closure of Airport Road south side (ONLY while paving, approximately four (4) hours).
 - South side of Casanova Avenue intersection. Impact: closure of Casanova Avenue south side (ONLY while paving, approximately four (4) hours).
- **Saturday DAY 7/27, 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.:** North and south sides of Casa Verde Way intersection. Impact: intersection will be closed to traffic on Casa Verde Way for approximately 4 hours per side. Detours will be in place. Through traffic will remain open on North Fremont Street.
- **Still to be scheduled:** North and south sides of Ramona Avenue intersection.

Installation of the center bike path railing and landscaping work will begin next week as well, but with minimal additional impact for drivers.

Project completion is scheduled for late August. A ribbon-cutting celebration is in the works for mid-September.

“The business community and residents along North Fremont have been very patient and accommodating during the months-long construction. We look forward to celebrating this milestone with our neighbors and experiencing the transformed North Fremont corridor!” said City Manager Hans Uslar.

“Despite nearly a month of rain delays, we will complete this project four months ahead of the 18 month estimated schedule,” said Public Works Director Steve Wittry. “We really appreciate the public’s patience – we are getting really close to the finish line, and I’m confident people will be happy with the finished product.”

