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Potrero Interchange Ground Breaking

Beaumont, CA— On Thursday, February 1, 2018 at 10:00 a.m., the City of Beaumont will host a Ground Breaking Ceremony for the Potrero Interchange.

The Potrero Interchange project began in 2005 with the award of \$2.1 million dollars in funding from the Federal Highway Administration under the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act. The overpass and future cloverleaf ramps are an extension of the 2011 six lane regional arterial connection on Oak Valley Parkway between Potrero Boulevard and Interstate 10. When completed, the regional interchange will improve traffic safety by upgrading the two-mile stretch of State Route 60 to freeway status. The end product is an infrastructure asset that benefits motorists traveling within Western Riverside County, San Diego County, and the Coachella Valley by improving traffic circulation in the nexus of the SR-60, SR-79, and Interstate 10 in Beaumont.

The ceremony will be held on Potrero Boulevard & Western Knolls at State Route 60. For more information on the project, please visit www.ci.beaumont.ca.us/potrero

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