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SANTA CRUZ COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT TO BEGIN EMERGENCY SEWER REPAIRS AT THE INTERSECTION OF 5TH AVENUE AND EAST CLIFF DRIVE

March 18, 2025 – Santa Cruz, CA – The Santa Cruz County Sanitation District will begin its Emergency Sewer Repair Project at the 5th Avenue/East Cliff Drive Roundabout in Twin Lakes to repair a failed sewer pipe. Work will take place Monday, March 24 through Friday, March 28 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Traffic Impacts:

- Commuters heading to the concessions parking lot near Crow's Nest Restaurant via the roundabout should use 7th Avenue and East Cliff Drive. Business access will remain open.
- Vehicles going to the southeast harbor (first Lake Avenue entrance) and the harbor launch (second Lake Avenue entrance) should use Lake Avenue.
 Flaggers will direct large trucks and vehicles with trailers to exit via Lake Avenue toward Eaton/Murray Street.
- Large trucks should use the Southeast Harbor/Boat Launch Lots off Lake Avenue. Smaller delivery vehicles can still use the roundabout.
- Residential traffic along Lake Avenue and 5th Avenue will be accommodated.
- No turnaround traffic will be allowed at the roundabout. A flagger will be onsite to assist drivers.

Parking restrictions will be in place along 5th Avenue and East Cliff Drive. Metro bus stops on Lake Avenue will be temporarily closed during construction. Drivers should expect delays or consider using alternate routes. For updates on this and future projects, residents can subscribe to receive Road Impact Notifications for their district at: <u>bit.ly/newsletter-cdi</u>

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