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State Route 99 at Merced Street off-ramp in Fowler scheduled to close late April 2022 to local traffic due to highway improvement project

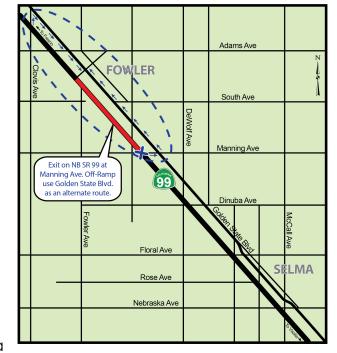
Merced Street Off-Ramp to be closed until July 2022

FRESNO COUNTY – Northbound State Route 99(SR-99) at Merced Street offramp in the City of Fowler will be closed to motorists and pedestrians in late April 2022 due the continued work of SR-99 Selma to Fowler Rehabilitation Project.

The off-ramp will be closed until July 2022 **(Tentative)** as crews continue to work on the SR-99 Selma to Fowler rehabilitation project.

This SB-1 funded project is located in the SR-99 corridor located near the City of Selma and the City of Fowler from Floral Avenue Undercrossing to a

half mile north of Merced Street Undercrossing.





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The project replaces the lanes in the NB and SB SR-99 including widening the shoulders with reinforced concrete paving which will extend the roadway life and help minimized future maintenance and ramps along the project area will be reconstructed.

The project includes replacing and adding new culverts that cross SR-99, upgrade all signs and update ADA ramps, replace all existing guardrail, and electrical work.

Northbound Merced Street Off-Ramp Detour:

Motorists are encouraged to use NB Manning Avenue off-ramp, turn right onto Manning Avenue. Take a left turn onto Golden State Blvd and turn left onto Merced Street.

Motorists can also expect a speed limit reduction in the construction zone.

Learn more about SR-99 Selma to Fowler Rehab Project on our Caltrans, District 6 webpage.

Project Webpage: <u>sr99selmatofowlerproject.com</u>

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