

# Construction kicking off on Crows Landing Road bridge

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Stanislaus County is slated to begin a replacement project of the Crows Landing Road bridge over the San Joaquin River in August.

Work will generally occur Monday through Friday and some weekends from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. In addition, nighttime work may take place from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. on Carpenter Road and during certain required 24-hour activities like drilling foundation piers.

After a recent assessment, the existing bridge was determined to be structurally deficient and functionally obsolete. The condition of the bridge has deteriorated with time and now needs a full replacement in order to provide a safer crossing over the river and connect nearby communities of Stanislaus County.

The project's estimated construction cost is approximately \$22,720,477. Most of the associated funding will be provided by the federal Highway Bridge Program. Other project funding is coming from Senate Bill 1, Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account.

To minimize impacts and maintain traffic movement for travelers, construction is being conducted in two stages:

- **Stage 1 (Summer 2021):** Installation of temporary trestle over San Joaquin River then construction of west side of new bridge.
- **Stage 2 (Summer 2022):** Construction of east side of new bridge, removal of temporary trestle over San Joaquin River then roadway work before bridge. opens

Once complete, the new bridge will widen both travel lanes and road shoulders in order to improve safety for motorists as well as meet Caltrans and American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials structural and geometric standards.

During construction, access to local property owners will be maintained and potential road closure near properties will be coordinated on an individual basis. In addition, public safety access will be maintained at all times throughout construction. Local property owners and the traveling public may experience: noise and dust, traffic delays, lane restrictions, temporary closures and detours.

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