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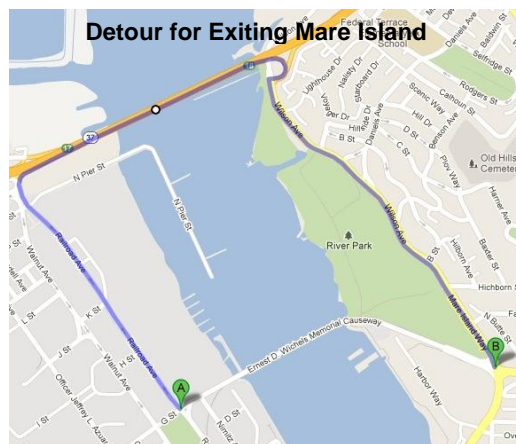
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**MARE ISLAND WESTERN APPROACH REPLACEMENT BRIDGE PROJECT NOTICE**

VALLEJO, CA – The Mare Island West Approach replacement project will begin early July 2015. This project will replace a 50-foot section of original timber-trestle. In order to maintain one-way traffic coming onto Mare Island, this project will be carried out in two stages. When exiting Mare Island, traffic will be directed through North Mare Island and out to State Highway 37.



The first stage of the project will be a 20-foot wide section that includes the concrete pedestrian sidewalk. Pedestrians and bicyclists will be detoured onto the existing sidewalk path that goes over the Railroad Bridge. Once the project is complete, the pedestrian path will follow the bridge traffic onto G Street.

The Mare Island Causeway will be closed to all traffic for three to five days from 9a.m. to 6p.m. during the first stage of the project in order to perform piling and deck operations construction. At least one week advance notice will be provided through traffic signs, [Facebook posts](#), press releases, and Nextdoor alerts. Regular construction updates will be published in the [City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report](#) and on the [project webpage](#).

Emergency response vehicles will be able to enter and exit Mare Island using the Causeway Bridge. Vehicles using the bridge should be prepared to yield to emergency traffic in the construction zone.



Anticipated Project Milestones:

- Construction begins: July 6, 2015 (one-way traffic on bridge)
- Stage 1 – Closed (9 a.m. to 6 p.m.): 3-5 days in August 2015
- Stage 1 – Complete: September 2015
- Stage 2 – Closed (9 a.m. to 6 p.m.): 1-3 days in October 2015
- Stage 2 – Complete: December 2015
- Project Substantial Completion: January 2016

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