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**County Public Works to Rehabilitate North County Roads**

The Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors awarded the 2015-16 North County Road Rehabilitation Project in the Third and Fifth Supervisorial Districts to Granite Construction Company. Santa Barbara County Public Works will inspect and administer the construction of this project as part of its annual Pavement Preservation Program.

The project is scheduled to begin October 24, 2016 and should be completed no later than November 23, 2016. Construction will occur Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 AM and 5:00 PM. Drivers should be aware of reduced speed zones and increased traffic control when driving through the construction sites. For a list of construction sites, visit [www.pwsb.net](http://www.pwsb.net).

The County's General Fund will pay for the \$955,000 construction cost which will help maintain, preserve, and improve roads throughout Santa Barbara County. This project will resurface 4.1 lane miles and use Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) paving in combination with cold planning. The project will also use road pulverization which includes the grinding and compaction of the existing paved section to be incorporated as the new road base section.

Public Works Department officials wish to thank local residents, pedestrians and the traveling public for their patience and cooperation during the construction of this project.

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