



SAN JUAN CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT



About the Project

The Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA), in coordination with Metrolink, is replacing the railroad bridge over San Juan Creek in the City of San Juan Capistrano to enhance safety and reduce maintenance needs. Once the new bridge is completed and train service is switched over, the existing bridge will be demolished. Construction is expected to be completed in early 2027.

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Coming Soon: Nightly Lane Closures on Del Obispo

Track materials are expected to be delivered to the project site from the Del Obispo crossing and this will require nightly lane closures on Del Obispo Street between Paseo Adelanto and Camino Capistrano. At least one lane in each direction will remain open during this time.

Lane Closures

- Outside lane on **westbound** Del Obispo from 9 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16 to 5 a.m. Wednesday Sept. 17
- Outside lane on **eastbound** Del Obispo, nightly, from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 17 to Monday, Sept. 22



This schedule is subject to change due to inclement weather or unforeseen operational issues. The public and businesses adjacent to the work area may experience noise and light from construction operations. Noise may also be generated from construction equipment back-up alarm. The alarms are required by state regulation.

Passenger Rail Service Advisory

Passenger rail service on the Orange County and Inland Empire-Orange County lines will be interrupted on the weekend of Sept. 20-21 for track maintenance and rehabilitation projects.

Metrolink will not be operating between the Laguna Niguel/Mission Viejo and Oceanside stations and will not be providing alternative transportation. Read Metrolink's advisory [here](#). Amtrak Pacific Surfliner will not operate between Irvine and San Diego. For more information about bus bridges available for Surfliner passengers, click [here](#).

Contractors on the San Juan Creek Bridge Replacement Project will use this time to perform track and utility work.

Partner Agency Event Spotlight: Coastal Cleanup Day

Join the City of San Juan Capistrano for California Coastal Cleanup Day on Saturday, Sept. 20, from 9 a.m. to noon at Descanso Park (32502 Paseo Adelanto). Help preserve the natural beauty of the local environment by cleaning the area around Trabuco Creek. To learn more and register, visit the [Coastal Cleanup website](#).

