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Pioneer Bridge Resurface Work Wraps Up

U.S. Highway 50 Ready for Labor Day Weekend Travelers

SACRAMENTO – Construction crews have wrapped up work on the Pioneer Bridge near downtown Sacramento – just in time for Labor Day weekend travel on U.S. Highway 50 over the Sacramento River.

Final striping work have been completed and all lanes are now open to traffic, ending eight weeks of overnight and weekend lane and ramp closures of the main connector for Sacramento and Yolo counties of U.S.-50 over the Sacramento River.

During the past two months, Caltrans removed the damaged roadway surface, cleaned and preparing the bridge deck, and put on a new surface on the span, replacing the deck overlay with a thicker, more durable surfacing material.

“We want to thank motorists and the community for their patience during resurfacing work,” said Caltrans District 3 Director Amarjeet S. Benipal. “Our many partners, including the the cities of Sacramento, West Sacramento, the California Highway Patrol, Sacramento River Cats, Golden 1 Center, should be commended in their efforts to help us complete this project.”

Caltrans District 3 is responsible for maintaining and operating 4,385 lane miles in 11 Sacramento Valley and Northern Sierra counties. For project updates, follow Caltrans District 3 on Twitter [@CaltransDist3](https://twitter.com/CaltransDist3) and on [Facebook at CaltransDistrict3](https://www.facebook.com/CaltransDistrict3). For real-time traffic, click on Caltrans QuickMap at: <http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/>

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