



# Gerald Desmond Bridge Replacement Project

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# Short-term Closure

## Temporary Road Closures July 4-7

**Date:** July 4-7, 2018

**Duration:** 4 days

**CLOSURE:** Beginning Wednesday, July 4, routes along southbound Harbor Scenic Drive, and eastbound and westbound Ocean Blvd. will be temporarily closed for the demolition of the northbound I-710 connector ramp. Motorists traveling through the area are advised to allow extra time. The closure will end by noon, Saturday, July 7.

- **Primary Detour to Queen Mary:** Due to heavy traffic downtown and on Shoreline Drive, motorists are encouraged to head south on I-710, take the "Terminal Is/Pico Ave" exit to Pico Avenue, turn right to head south, turn left onto South Harbor Scenic Drive, then follow signs to the Queen Mary.
- **Alternate Detour to Queen Mary:** Head south on I-710, take the "Downtown Long Beach, Convention Center, Aquarium" exit, then to Shoreline Drive and continue to the Queen Mary on-ramp (Queens Way), make a right turn, then follow the signs to the Queen Mary.
- **Primary Detour to Downtown Long Beach:** If traveling east on Ocean Blvd. into the city, exit at Pico Avenue, turn left to head north, turn right onto 9th Street, continue on 10th Street, then take the downtown on-ramp onto Shoreline Drive. Be advised that – given traditionally heavy downtown traffic – motorists are encouraged to take the 6th Street exit.
- **Alternate Detour to Downtown Long Beach:** Head north on Pico Avenue, make a left turn onto the I-710 on-ramp at 9th Street, then travel up to Anaheim Street, making a right turn to head east into the city.
- **Leaving Downtown Long Beach:** If traveling west on Ocean Blvd., turn right onto northbound Golden Shore and I-710, exit at westbound Anaheim St., take the on-ramp to I-710 south, exit at Pico Avenue, turn right to head south, then take the westbound Ocean Blvd. on-ramp to the bridge.



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