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## **Construction Project to Impact Traffic on Jones Road and Nearby Areas**

The San Jacinto River Authority (SJRA) Highlands Division is an agency, which owns and operates a canal system located in the Highlands and surrounding vicinity that provides industrial water supply to the area. We wish to inform you about an upcoming construction project that for brief periods will cause elevated noise levels and impacts to traffic, including temporary road closures and associated short detours. The project involves multiple canal and levee improvements extending from upstream of the SJRA South Canal crossing at Jones Road to the canal crossing at West Baker Road.

One especially noteworthy component of construction includes installation of two new 72-inch pipes and associated structures on the canal system at the crossing under Jones Road. This construction work will require the temporary closure of Jones Road for multiple brief periods. The areas affected by traffic impacts and elevated noise levels will include those along and in the vicinity of Jones Road and to the east of Thompson Road. The portion of the project that affects Jones Road is anticipated to begin mid to late June and to be completed by the end of November 2017. The overall project is scheduled to be completed by June 2018.

The duration of individual road closures at this location will generally last for only a few days and will have a cumulative length of 30 days or less. A detour route will be clearly posted during construction on <u>www.sjra.net</u> as well as attached to this notification. Information on actual road closure dates and durations will also be available on <u>www.sjra.net</u>, and will be updated as the project progresses.

Please call Ed Maldonado, Construction Project Manager, at 936.827.7365 with any questions or concerns.

For additional information and most up to date construction information, please visit <u>www.sjra.net/highlands</u>



Traffic Detour Plan Jones Road

