



**NEWS RELEASE**

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**City of Monterey**

**Veteran's Memorial Dr. Traffic Control for Tree Removal on August 12, 2009**

On Wednesday, August 12, Veteran's Memorial Dr. between Johnson St. and Via Del Rey will be closed to all through traffic. City Forestry crews will remove three dying Monterey pines leaning over the traffic lanes in this stretch of road.. This will affect traffic in the vicinity during the hours 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Traffic Will detour from Franklin St. to Larkin St. to Via Del Rey back to Veteran's Drive.

Motorists are advised to proceed with caution and expect delays in the area. We thank you for your patience.

Please contact Stephen Morton or Parks Division with any questions at 646-3860.