

Commuter Alert

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SR-127 Emergency Project from Baker to Tecopa

SAN BERNARDINO, CA – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) continues \$9M emergency work on State Route 127 (SR-127) to repair roadbed, pavement, backfill shoulders, armor erosion embankments, repair drainage, remove debris and address other structural damage sustained by recent monsoon storms.

Contractor crews are in the area clearing debris, performing roadbed repair, drainage repair and various other recovery efforts. At this time, the route remains fully closed in both directions due to severe undermined roadways and to allow for environmental mitigation operations to continue. **Crews are currently in the area repairing the roadway and working to expedite a reopening of the north-side only of the route, from County Line to Dumont Dunes by mid October 2023. The timeframe of a full route reopening remains to be determined.** Emergency repair work is expected to continue through spring 2024.

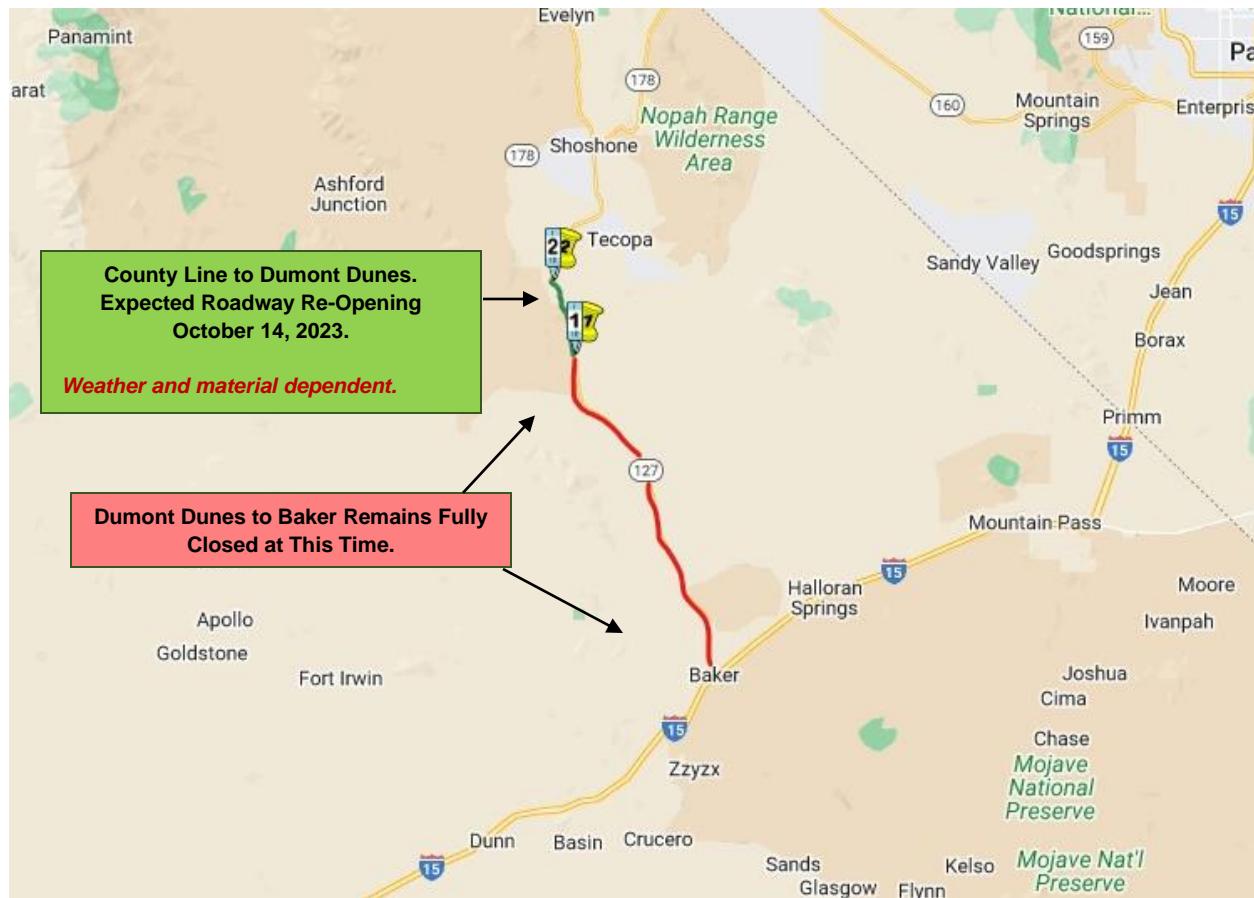
Below are photos of the major roadway damages near Dumont Dunes:



Please adhere to road closure signage to allow for safe transport of equipment and crews.

At this time the roadway is fully closed for the safety of all public and teams onsite. Crews are working to allow for re-opening of SR-127 from Inyo County to Dumont Dunes on October 14, 2023. **This NORTH-SIDE ONLY re-opening is dependent on weather, contractor receiving proper materials and subject to change.**

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We are working to fully reopen the route as soon as possibly with safety in mind and will review road opening alternatives on an on-going basis as work continues.

Drivers, please adhere to Road Closed signage placed ahead of closure areas to alert the public about closures and roadwork ahead. Changeable message signs are also placed ahead of closure areas to further alert the public about ongoing emergency work.

Know before you go! To stay on top of roadwork for this project, [please click](#) here to sign up for commuter alerts. Follow us for the latest information on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#). To assist in planning your commute, view live traffic conditions using [QuickMap](#) and [planned lane closures](#).

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