

# EASTSIDE BYPASS STUDY

## DESCRIPTION

Conduct feasibility study of possible alignments for a bypass from the south Salinas area to the north Prunedale area.

## PROJECT PURPOSE

The City of Salinas' adopted general plan calls for an Eastside Bypass of the City to provide a long-term solution to traffic on the congested US 101 corridor in Salinas. This project consists of a plan line study to determine the best route for a future Eastside Bypass project.

## PROJECT BENEFITS

- Identifies alternative route for reduction of congestion and delays on US 101 in the Salinas area
- Supports interregional travel between south Monterey County and the San Francisco Bay area
- Alternative route would improve access for local residents

## COST

\$300,000 is budgeted to study the Eastside Bypass.

