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Coming Soon:

Large Pipe Deliveries to San Vicente
Work on the San Diego County Water Authority’s San Vicente Pipeline reached a significant milestone in September when crews completed all 11 miles of tunneling for the pipeline.

A new phase of work begins in November when the contractor starts receiving 50-foot-long sections of pipe at the San Vicente Portal next to the San Vicente Dam. The pipe segments will be installed in the tunnel to complete the eastern portion of the pipeline.

Pipe deliveries are restricted to Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Approximately 20 trucks will deliver pipe each day for up to six weeks. The delivery route continues to be Highway 67 to Vigilante Road. From Vigilante, trucks will turn north onto Moreno Avenue to reach the construction site. The contractor will have traffic control and flaggers at the intersection of Vigilante Road and Moreno Avenue to assist both the truck drivers and motorists through the intersection.

Once the pipe segments are on site, crews will move them into the tunnel and haul them up to four miles inside the tunnel toward the Central Shaft. When pipe installation is complete, the contractor will insert grouting material around the pipe to secure it in the tunnel.

All work for the pipeline is scheduled to be complete in late 2010. Once complete, the pipeline will connect San Vicente Reservoir to the Water Authority’s Second Aqueduct for future emergency water deliveries.

For more information about the San Vicente Pipeline project, please call the toll-free project information line at (877) 426-2010, email ESPinfo@sdcwa.org, or visit the project website at cip-esp.sdcwa.org and click on “San Vicente Pipeline.”