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ROAD CLOSURE – Pleasant Hill Road, Castle Rock

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On Wednesday, February 24th, pavement near the north end of Pleasant Hill Road, south of Huntington Avenue and the Castle Rock city limits, was discovered to be sagging. Investigation revealed the sagging to be roughly in line with a culvert that directs water from Salmon Creek under the roadway. Engineers have determined that the culvert will need to be repaired or replaced. Staff, in consultation with other agencies, will develop a project recommendation. The road is unsuitable for travel over the pavement / culvert failure and will remain closed for the foreseeable future. Traffic barriers are in place. Alternate travel routes via I-5, Bond Road east of the freeway or West Side Highway are available.

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