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Rock Springs Road now open to the public

Rock Springs Road crossing the Mojave River in the High Desert is now open to motorists.

The county concluded work on the project and opened the road before dawn this morning. Work had been delayed by a shortage of building materials and severe weather earlier this week.

Crews worked overtime seven days a week to get Rock Springs Road open and available to High Desert residents as quickly as possible. The improved crossing includes culverts to allow water to flow underneath the crossing, helping it to survive future storms.

The road crossing the Mojave River was severely damaged by last winter's storms and was originally scheduled for opening on September 30th. The opening was delayed due to an industry-wide shortage of construction equipment, large boulders and steel rails that were found buried at the construction site, a short supply of suitable road embankment material, and the shortage of available trucking to deliver material and equipment to the site.

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