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Caltrans Proposes Roundabouts, City Seeks Citizen Input at August 11 Council Meeting

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CalTrans has proposed putting roundabouts on Robertson Boulevard at Highway 99 on both sides of the freeway. The Chowchilla City Council has asked that representatives from Caltrans appear at the August 11 City Council meeting to present their ideas and listen to the public and their concerns.

Placing roundabouts is a Caltrans idea that has been presented to City Councils throughout California as an alternative traffic management tool. As elected representatives of the community the Council encourages the public to attend Council meetings and express their opinions on the many topics of local government business and services. The topic of Caltrans roundabouts is a passionate one for many and the City Council wants to make sure the community has opportunities to share with Caltrans their thoughts on the concept.

Anyone who is interested in learning about the Caltrans roundabouts proposal should attend the Tuesday, August 11 Council meeting. The discussion will likely be limited to no more than an hour which may produce a follow-up workshop meeting with Caltrans. The meeting begins at 7:00pm in the City Council Chambers in City Hall at 130 S. Second Street.