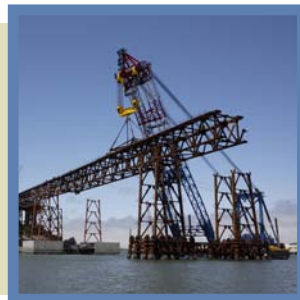


# SAS ON THE RISE!



The erection of the **Self-Anchored Suspension Span's (SAS)** single 525-foot-tall tower has reached new heights! In late October, crews lifted the second set of sections into place, bringing tower construction into full view for Bay Bridge drivers. These latest sections rise more than 10 stories over the Bay Bridge, giving motorists an up-close glimpse of the herculean endeavor to replace the existing East Span. The public is encouraged to focus on driving safely and not to be distracted by the construction.

Earlier in October, the SAS deck continued to grow rapidly as crews were busy placing the eighth west- and eastbound deck segments along with the ninth and tenth crossbeams. In November, workers will place the ninth west- and eastbound deck sections, with more bridge sections due by the end of year. For more information, visit [BayBridgeInfo.org](http://BayBridgeInfo.org).



## Building a Bridge to Build a Bridge

[BayBridge360.org](http://BayBridge360.org) is your home for front-row videos and photos that provide spectacular and unprecedented views of the amazing construction taking place on the bay. The latest audio slideshow explores the 18,000 tons of steel used to build the temporary supports needed to make the iconic Self-Anchored Suspension Span a reality.



## Happy Anniversary!

The Bay Bridge is celebrating its 74th anniversary in November. The bridge opened to the public in 1936 and has a proud record of service, one that we will celebrate in 2011 for the bridge's diamond anniversary. Keep watching for more details as next year's celebration gets closer.

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