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CITY OFFICES' LEE-JACKSON AND MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY CLOSING SCHEDULE

SUFFOLK, VA (January 14, 2013) In observance of the Lee-Jackson Day and the Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holidays, Suffolk City offices will be closed Friday, January 18 and Monday, January 21, 2013. Normal operations will resume Tuesday, January 22, 2013, at 8:30 a.m. The city observes all state-designated holidays. Lee-Jackson Day and Martin Luther King, Jr. Day are considered holidays for the Commonwealth of Virginia, and all state offices are closed on this day.

The **Suffolk Tourism Visitor Center** will remain open during the holiday weekend.

All **Suffolk City Libraries** will be closed Friday, January 18 through Monday, January 21, 2013.

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The **Suffolk Art Gallery** will be closed Friday, January 18 through Monday, January 21, 2013.

Suffolk Joint Use Recreation Centers will close at 6 p.m. on Friday, January 18 following the closing of the afterschool programs for the day. On Monday, January 21, these centers will only be open for youth league athletic practices and games.

East Suffolk Recreation Center will be open Friday, January 18, from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for afterschool programs. East Suffolk Recreation Center will be closed on Monday, January 21.

Suffolk's four major parks – Lone Star Lakes, Constant's Wharf, Sleepy Hole, and Bennett's Creek will remain open Friday, January 18 and Monday, January 21; however, no park attendant will be on duty.

The **Suffolk Executive Airport terminal** will remain open on a normal schedule during the holiday weekend.

There will be no changes to the trash collection schedule for Friday, January 18. TFC Recycling will also conduct their normal recycling collection routes on Friday, January 18. **Suffolk Public Works Department** reminds you that trash must be placed at curbside no later than 7:00 a.m. on the day of collection. For more information on refuse collection, please call Public Works at 514-7630.

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The **Southeastern Public Safety Authority (SPSA) Transfer Station in Suffolk** will be open Friday, January 18 from 7:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. or until the City of Suffolk finishes its' refuse collection, and 7:00 a.m. until 12 p.m. on Monday, January 21. The **Regional Landfill** will be open Friday, January 18 from 7 a.m. until 12 p.m., and will be closed on Monday, January 21.

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