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ROUTE 17 WATER TRANSMISSION MAIN PROJECT WORK CONTINUES

SUFFOLK, VA (July 31, 2014) Prior to the installation of the 24-inch water transmission main connection to the City's existing 16-inch transmission main within the Lee Farm Lane cross over at its intersection with Route 17, an evaluation of the existing underground utilities is required by performing spot excavations of the utilities.

The City's contractor is scheduled to perform this work on Monday, August 4th between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This effort will require the Lee Farm Lane cross over to be closed to traffic. Traffic desiring to travel north on Rt. 17 from Lee Farm Lane will be detoured to Bennetts Pasture Road back to Rt. 17. Traffic desiring to travel south on Rt. 17 from Lee Farm Lane will be able to do so. Traffic travelling north on Rt. 17 desiring to turn left onto Lee Farm Lane will be detoured to Bennetts Pasture Rd. back to Lee Farm Lane. This work is weather-dependent, and in the event of inclement weather the work will be performed on Tuesday, August 5th between the same designated hours.

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