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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (June 16, 2014) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Monday, June 16, 2014, due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(Dutch Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Dutch Road between Longstreet Lane and Cumberland Lane from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Lewis Avenue) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have the 100 block of Lewis Avenue closed between Spruce Street and Laurel Street until 4 p.m.

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(West Washington Street) – The westbound lane of West Washington Street, from Chestnut Street to Henley Place, will be closed for preliminary work related to an upcoming line stop/valve installation to the water main. Traffic will be detoured to northbound Chestnut Street, to westbound Market Street, to southbound Henley Place, and back to West Washington Street. Detour signage will be in place.

(Route 460) – A contractor will have a mobile lane closure on Route 460/Pruden Boulevard/North Main Street between Northgate Lane and East Constance Road until 4 p.m.

(North Broad Street) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures on North Broad Street until 6 p.m.

(Pruden Boulevard) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering Paint Crew will have a mobile lane closure on Pruden Boulevard between the Isle of Wight County limits and Lake Prince Drive from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(Route 13/32 and Carolina Road) – A contractor will be maintaining vegetation along Route 13/32 and Carolina Road.

(Simons Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Simons Drive between Indian Trail and Old Myrtle Road from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Ongoing Projects:

(Kings Highway) – A contractor will be working in the roadway and the right-of-way along Kings Highway between Bob House Parkway and the former Kings Highway Bridge installing a 12-inch sewer force main. Anticipate temporary lane closures in the area of construction. This work should be completed by July 1, 2014.

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(Holland Road/Route 58) – A contractor is completing construction of a 16-inch water main along the outer lanes of Holland Road/Route 58 at the Village of Holland. Expect temporary shoulder closures along the corridor from the Center Point Development to the Village of Holland as the contractor completes water main testing and shoulder repairs.

(Kings Highway and Sleepy Hole Road) – A contractor will be working in the roadway and right-of-way along Kings Highway and Sleepy Hole Road from the demolished Kings Highway Bridge to the Nansemond River Drive intersection installing a 12-inch sewer force main. Beginning June 9, 2014, expect work at the intersection of Kings Highway and Sleepy Hole Road. Anticipate temporary lane closures in the area of construction. This work should be completed by August 1, 2014.

(Various locations) – A contractor will be working on the installation of water and sewer mains for the Crittenden/Eclipse water and sewer extension project. The work hours will be from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. The project will be ongoing until Spring 2015. Flagging operations will be necessary on the following streets: Wigneil Street, Vine Street, Pike Street, Rivershore Drive, Dixon Road, Cross Street, Eclipse Drive, Bleakhorn Drive, and Darden Clubhouse Road during the period of construction.

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