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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (May 1, 2014) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Thursday, May 1, 2014, due to construction and maintenance projects:

New Projects:

(Whaleyville Boulevard) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Whaleyville Boulevard between Liberty Spring Road and Greenway Road from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

(West Washington Street) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering Paint Crew will have a work zone on West Washington Street between Main Street and Pine Street from Thursday, May 1 at 7 p.m. to Friday, May 2 at 5 a.m.

(Route 58/Holland Road) – A contractor will be maintaining vegetation on Route 58/Holland Road between the Village of Holland and the Southampton County Line.

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(Box Elder Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Box Elder Road between Leesville Road and Manning Road from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

(Pruden Boulevard/Route 460) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Pruden Boulevard/Route 460 between Old Myrtle Road and Lake Prince Drive from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Ongoing Projects:

(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) – 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.

(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. Anticipate temporary lane closures in the area of construction. This work should be completed by July 1, 2014.

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(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.

(Johnson Lane) – Johnson Lane will be closed indefinitely to provide construction access to the proposed Walgreens site along Constance Road.

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