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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (May 15, 2014) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Thursday, May 15, 2014, due to construction and maintenance projects:

New Projects:

(Pineview Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Pineview Road from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Buckhorn Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 1800 block of Buckhorn Drive from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Bennetts Pasture Road – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering Paint Crew will have mobile lane closures on Bennetts Pasture Road between Nansemond Parkway and Bridge Road from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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(Godwin Boulevard & Kings Highway) – A contractor will be maintaining vegetation on Godwin Boulevard and Kings Highway.

(Nansemond Parkway and Shoulders Hill Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering Signal Crew will be conducting maintenance on the signals at Nansemond Parkway and Shoulders Hill Road. All lanes and all approaches will be affected with intermittent mobile lane closures until 3 p.m.

(Mineral Spring Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Mineral Spring Road between Whaleyville Boulevard and Manning Road from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Ongoing Projects:

(Route 58) – A contractor will have lane closures on Route 58/Holland Road at Pioneer Road between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

(Lewis Avenue) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have the 200 Block of Lewis Avenue closed between Spruce Street and Laurel Street until 4 p.m. while storm drains are installed.

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

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

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