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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (November 22, 2016) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Tuesday, November 22, 2016, due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(Carolina Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering's paint crew will have mobile lane closures on Carolina Road between Granby Street and Washington Street from 1:00 p.m. to 5 p.m.

(Butler Avenue) – A contractor will have Butler Avenue closed between West Riverview Drive and Allen Street from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(Route 58) – A contractor will have a mobile operation east and westbound on Route 58 between Route 460 and the Chesapeake City line for debris pick up from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(West Riverview Drive) – A contractor will continue working on West Riverview Drive between Butler Avenue and North Broad Street for road and washout repair. Accommodations will be made for residents and emergency vehicles.

(North Main Street) – A contractor will have the inside lanes north and southbound and the two-way left turn lane closed on North Main Street between VDOT and Murphys Mill Road. This closure will be in place 24 hours per day for the dates listed. Heavy traffic patterns should be anticipated.

(Pitchkettle Road) - Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 1800 block of Pitchkettle Road while Dominion Virginia Power replaces a power pole until approximately 3 p.m.

Upcoming Projects:

(Route 58) – A contractor will have a westbound outside lane closure on Route 58 at the scales on Monday, November 28th overnight from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m.

Ongoing Projects:

(Arthur Drive) – A contractor will be demolishing and reconstructing the bridges over Spivey Run (#8033) and Langston Swamp (#8034) on Arthur Drive. A detour will be in place to direct motorists. This closure will remain until the estimated completion date of January 31, 2017.

(Godwin Boulevard on ramp from Route 58 WB) – A contractor will have a shoulder closure on the Godwin Boulevard on ramp from Route 58 westbound and a

westbound lane closure on the overpass on Godwin Boulevard from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily.

(Highland Avenue) – A contractor will be installing a new pump station and sewer and water lines on Highland Avenue between Kingsboro Street and the end of Highland Avenue (at the cul-de-sac). This project will continue through June 2017. More details to follow.

(Seaboard Trail) – A contractor will have The Seaboard Trail between Main Street and Moore Avenue closed to all pedestrians until further notice. Contractor is estimating a December completion date.

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