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**ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS**

SUFFOLK, VA (October 26, 2017) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Thursday, October 26, 2017, due to construction and maintenance projects.

**New Projects:**

(Lake Kilby Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 800 block of Lake Kilby Road for a pole replacement from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Cedar Street Extended) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have Cedar Street Extended closed between Woodrow Avenue and Charlotte Avenue from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., October 25<sup>th</sup> through October 27<sup>th</sup>.

(Manning Road) – A contractor will have a shoulder closure in the 100 block of Manning Road until 4 p.m.

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(Liberty Street) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have Liberty Street closed between East Washington Street and Bank Street from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Suffolk Police will assist directing traffic at the traffic light. Accommodations will be made for tractor trailers and school buses, October 25<sup>th</sup> through October 27<sup>th</sup>.

(Western Avenue) – A contractor will have a lane closure in the 300 block of Western Avenue from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Laurel Street) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have Laurel Street closed between Woodrow Avenue and Raleigh Drive for a milling and paving operation from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., October 25<sup>th</sup> through October 27<sup>th</sup>.

(Pinner Street) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Pinner Street between Bank Street and Finney Avenue from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., October 26<sup>th</sup> and October 27<sup>th</sup>.

(Wilroy Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering Paint Crew will have mobile lane closures on Wilroy Road between Bernard Street and Jotom Lane from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

**Upcoming Projects:**

(Townpoint Road) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures on Townpoint Road between Pughsville Road and Cove Street to install new cross drains from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Moderate to heavy traffic should be anticipated.

(Pitchkettle Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Pitchkettle Road between Constance Road and Lincoln Avenue overnight from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m., October 30<sup>th</sup> through October 31<sup>st</sup>.

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## **Ongoing Projects:**

(Oak Ridge Neighborhood) – A contractor will be installing an 8" water line in the Oakridge neighborhood. Work will be intermittent and require lane closures throughout the neighborhood and is expected to continue through the end of the year.

(Nansemond Parkway) – The Nansemond Roadway Expansion Project continues on Nansemond Parkway between Helen Street and the Chesapeake City line. Work in this area will require periodic eastbound and westbound shoulder and/or lane closures.

(Magnolia Drive) – A contractor will be installing new storm pipes along Magnolia Drive from Old College Drive to Brookwood Drive. Traffic control setup and a lane closure will be in place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Work is expected to be complete by November 15<sup>th</sup>.

(College Drive and Harbour View Boulevard) – A contractor will have the right turn lanes closed northbound and southbound on College Drive at the intersection of Harbour View Boulevard and the right turn lane will also be closed from eastbound Harbour View Boulevard to southbound College Drive. Westbound Harbour View Boulevard will also be narrowed to one lane in this area. This will allow for the beginning of construction of the College Drive Roundabout project. These closures will occur daily from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will be in place for several weeks.

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