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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (April 6, 2018) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Friday, April 6, 2018, due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(Sportsman Boulevard and Wonderland Forest Neighborhood) – A contractor will have a mobile shoulder closure on Sportsman Boulevard and in the Wonderland Forest Neighborhood from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Nansemond Shores Neighborhood) – A contractor will have a mobile shoulder closure operation in the Nansemond Shores Neighborhood from April 2 to April 6 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Holland Corner Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Holland Corner Road between Quaker Drive and Mineral Spring Road for drainage maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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(Kilby Shores Avenue) – A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 500 block of Kilby Shores Avenue from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Progress Road) – A contractor will have a lane closure in the 1200 block of Progress Road for emergency pipe repair from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(various locations) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation in the 2100 block of Joshua Lane, 4400 block of Deer Path Road, and 5600 block of Indian Trail for drainage maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Mineral Spring Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation in the 5500 block of Mineral Spring Road for drainage maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Route 58) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on eastbound Route 58 from Brentwood Road to the Southampton County line for pothole patching from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Route 58) – A contractor will have a left shoulder closure on westbound Route 58 Downtown off-ramp for guardrail repair from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

(Route 58) – A contractor will have a ramp narrowing on the eastbound Route 58 on-ramp at Route 460 for guardrail repair from 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

(Portsmouth Boulevard) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Portsmouth Boulevard from Wilroy Road to the Route 58 interchange for vegetation maintenance from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

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(various locations) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering Paint Crews will have the turn lanes closed at the intersection of Holland Road, South Quay Road, and Ruritan Boulevard from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(Wilroy Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 2200 block of Wilroy Road for guardrail repair from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Upcoming Projects:

(Magnolia Drive) – A contractor will be installing new storm pipes along Magnolia Drive from Old College Drive to Brookwood Drive starting the week of July 24. Traffic control setup and periodic lane and road closures will be in the area from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ongoing Projects:

(West Constance Road) – A contractor will be installing gas lines on West Constance Road between Holland Road and Main Street. This work will take place between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. and will require periodic lane closures.

(Old Somerton Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Old Somerton Road from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., beginning Monday, February 26. The water line installation in this area will take approximately 60 days, weather permitting.

(Longstreet Lane) – Longstreet Lane is closed at the bridge over Somerton Creek, between Pittmantown Road and Butler Drive, for bridge repair. The demolition and repair began Friday, March 2. Suffolk Department of Public Works Operations anticipates a June 2018 opening.

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(Hobson Water Main Extension Project) - A contractor will be installing a water main in the Hobson neighborhood to include Sawmill Point Road, Hudgins Circle and Macedonia Avenue. Work will be intermittent and require lane closures throughout the neighborhood. All work is expected to be completed in May 2018.

(College Drive and Harbour View Boulevard) – Beginning January 30, a contractor will have a new roundabout pattern in place at the intersection of Harbour View Boulevard and College Drive. The contractor will be conducting construction activities inside the roundabout center as well as off to the sides of the road from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Oak Ridge Neighborhood) – A contractor will be installing an 8" water line in the Oak Ridge neighborhood. Work will be intermittent and require lane closures throughout the neighborhood and is expected to continue through July 2018.

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

(Bob White Lane) – Beginning Tuesday, November 14, a contractor will have Bob White Lane closed between Deanes Station Road and Shoulders Hill Road with traffic detouring thru Deanes Station Road and Rabey Farm Road. The closure will be permanent until approximately May 31, 2018. There will be a southbound lane shift on Shoulders Hill Road at the intersection of Shoulders Hill/Rabey Farm/Pughsville and the speed limit on Shoulders Hill Road will be temporarily lowered to 35 miles per hour.

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