

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS**

SUFFOLK, VA (September 25, 2018) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Tuesday, September 25, 2018, due to construction and maintenance projects.

#### **New Projects:**

(Crittenden Road) – A contractor will have mobile flagging operations on Crittenden Road between Woodduck Road and Kings Highway for milling and paving operations from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(College Drive) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on College Drive for vegetation maintenance from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

(Carolina Road) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on northbound and southbound Carolina Road between the Route 13/32 Bypass and North Carolina State line for vegetation maintenance from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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(West Constance Road) – A contractor will have a lane closure on West Constance Road at Constance Woods Drive from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(Harbour View Boulevard and Harbour Towne Parkway) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures at the intersection of Harbour View Boulevard and Harbour Towne Parkway from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Harbour View Boulevard and River Club Drive) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures at the intersection of Harbour View Boulevard and River Club Drive from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Shoulders Hill Road) – A contractor will have a right shoulder closure on Shoulders Hill Road at Bridge Road from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Butler Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 3100 block of Butler Drive for asphalt repair from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(White Marsh Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Utilities will have a flagging operation in the 1200 block of White Marsh Road from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Public Works will be providing traffic control.

(College Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering will have a northbound shoulder closure on College Drive between Interstate 664 and Harbour View Boulevard. The shoulder closure will remain in place from 9 a.m., Tuesday, September 25 until 3 p.m., Monday, October 1.

(College Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have the right turn lane closed southbound on College Drive at Hampton Roads Parkway for sidewalk replacement from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

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(various locations) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have mobile operations on Freeman Mill Road, Wedgewood Drive, Corinth Chapel Road, Pineview Road, Greenway Road and Southwestern Boulevard for vegetation maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(various locations) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have mobile operations on Shoulders Hill Road at Nansemond Parkway, Shoulders Hill Road at Meadow View Boulevard, Pughsville Road, Townpoint Road and Hampton Roads Parkway between the Route 664 overpass and Apple Street for vegetation maintenance in the medians and shoulders from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Gates Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 8000 block of Gates Road for vegetation maintenance on the bridge from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Bridge Road) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on Bridge Road between College Drive and Shoulders Hill Road for vegetation maintenance from 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

During the week of September 24, 2018, a contractor working on behalf of the Suffolk Department of Public Utilities will be smoke testing the sanitary sewer system within certain areas of the City. Door hangers have been delivered to areas that are scheduled to be tested. These door hangers will describe the upcoming smoke testing efforts. Smoke testing is scheduled to be conducted between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. in several areas described as: (1) Applewood, (2) Harbour View East Village, (3) Hargrove Tavern, (4) Reids Crossing, and (5) Mill Creek Close.

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**Upcoming Projects:**

(Route 58) – A contractor will have alternating eastbound lane closures on Route 58 at the railroad overpass between Holland Road and the Route 58 eastbound on ramp from the Route 13/32 Bypass beginning Sunday, September 30. Work will take place overnight from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday.

**Ongoing Projects:**

(Simons Drive) – A contractor will have Simons Drive closed to thru traffic between Indian Trail and Old Myrtle Road from August 9, 2018 to April 2, 2019 for a bridge replacement. The current bridge will be removed and replaced with a concrete structure.

(Portsmouth Boulevard) – A contractor will have a westbound right shoulder closure in the 1200 block of Portsmouth Boulevard.

(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 or shoulder closures.

(Kilby Lane) – A contractor working for Suffolk Department of Public Utilities will be installing a water main on Kilby Lane. The installation will require lane closures and is expected to be complete September 30, 2018.

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(Old Somerton Road, Carolina Road, Whaleyville Boulevard, Rosewood Drive) – A contractor will be installing new water lines on Old Somerton Road, Carolina Road, Whaleyville Boulevard, and Rosewood Drive. The speed limit within the area has been lowered to 35 mph. Beginning Thursday, August 16, the contractor will have a southbound flagging operation in the 1500 block of Whaleyville Boulevard continuing southbound to the 1800 block daily from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The project is expected to continue through December 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. Beginning, Friday, July 27, two westbound lanes and one eastbound lane will be open to traffic.

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