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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (October 18, 2018) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Thursday, October 18, 2018, due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(Crittenden Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering's sign and paint crews will have a flagging operation on Crittenden Road between Cotton Farm Lane and Macedonia Avenue from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(Everets Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Everets Road at Lake Prince Road from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(South Main Street) – A contractor will have the 100 block of South Main Street closed between 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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(North Lloyd Street) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 100 block of North Lloyd Street from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

(Babbtown Road, Wedgewood Drive, Indian Trail, Pitchkettle Road and Kings Fork Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have mobile operations on Babbtown Road, Wedgewood Drive, Indian Trail, Pitchkettle Road and Kings Fork Road for vegetation maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Manning Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Manning Road between Mineral Spring Road and Route 58 for pothole patching from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

(Route 58) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation eastbound and westbound between Portsmouth Boulevard and the Chesapeake City line for debris pick up and vegetation maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Route 13/32 Bypass) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a left shoulder closure northbound on the Route 13/32 Bypass at the bridge for asphalt repair from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(West Washington Street) – A contractor will have a westbound right lane closure in the 1000 block of West Washington Street, between Lipton Tea and the bridge, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily.

(White Heron Lane) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on White Heron Lane for a drainage pipe installation from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(Godwin Boulevard) – A contractor will have a mobile operation westbound on Godwin Boulevard between North Main Street and Kings Highway for vegetation maintenance from 12 p.m. to 6 p.m.

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(Route 58) – A contractor will have a mobile operation westbound on Route 58 between Pitchkettle Road and the Route 13/32 Bypass for vegetation maintenance from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

(Bridge Road) – A contractor will have a mobile operation northbound on Bridge Road between Isle of Wight and College Drive in the medians for vegetation maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Bridge Road) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures northbound and southbound in the 3900 block of Bridge Road from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Hampton Roads Parkway) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures in the intersection of Hampton Roads Parkway and College Drive from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Upcoming Projects:

(Route 58) – Beginning Sunday, October 21, a contractor will have alternating lane closures eastbound on Route 58 between the Wilroy Road Interchange and Portsmouth Boulevard for milling and paving overnight from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m.

(Southwestern Boulevard) – A contractor will have Southwestern Boulevard closed between O'Kelly Drive and Trumpet Drive with a detour in place from October 24, 2018 to April 2019 for a bridge replacement. The current bridge will be removed and replaced with a concrete structure.

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Ongoing Projects:

(Godwin Boulevard) – Beginning, Sunday, September 30, a contractor will have alternating lane closures eastbound and westbound on Godwin Boulevard between Kings Fork Road and Everets Road for a milling and paving operation overnight from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. The operation will include lighted flagging stations and the use of a pilot car. Motorists should use caution while traveling in the area and expect delays. The work is expected to be completed in approximately two weeks.

(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 October 31, 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. Currently both westbound lanes and one eastbound lane along Nansemond Parkway are open to traffic. Work along this corridor is ongoing and will require periodic lane closures to complete construction.

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