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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (November 18, 2016) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Friday, November 18, 2016, due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(Route 58) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures and a left lane shoulder closure eastbound on Route 58 between the Nansemond Parkway overpass and the Route 58 on ramp at Portsmouth Boulevard for a milling and paving operation. Milling will take place overnight from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. and the paving will take place daily from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Route 58) – Suffolk Department of Public Works Traffic Engineering's paint crew will have the turn lanes closed on Route 58 eastbound between Elwood Road and O'Kelly Drive from 9 a.m. to 1 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.

(Hampton Roads Parkway) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Hampton Roads Parkway for pothole patching from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Harvest Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation on Harvest Drive for shoulder maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(West Riverview Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works 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.

(Nansemond Parkway) – A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 1300 -1400 block of Nansemond Parkway from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Carolina Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation north and southbound on Carolina Road between the Route 13/32 Bypass and the NC state line for pothole patching from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Whaleyville Boulevard) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation north and southbound on Whaleyville Boulevard between Carolina Road and the North Carolina state line for pothole patching from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Godwin Boulevard) – A contractor will have a westbound right lane closure in the 3100-3400 block of Godwin Boulevard for a turn lane installation from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(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.

Upcoming Projects:

(Nansemond Parkway) -- A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 1200 block of Nansemond Parkway from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Holland Road) -- Suffolk Department of Public Utilities will have a lane closure on Holland Road at Grove Avenue to remove jersey barriers from 6 a.m. to 7:30 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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