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CITY OFFICES' LEE-JACKSON AND MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY CLOSING SCHEDULE

SUFFOLK, VA (January 9, 2012) In observance of the Lee-Jackson Day and the Martin Luther King, Jr. Day holidays, Suffolk City offices will be closed Friday, January 13 and Monday, January 16, 2012. Normal operations will resume Tuesday, January 17, 2012, at 8:30 a.m. The city observes all state-designated holidays. Lee-Jackson Day and Martin Luther King, Jr. Day are considered holidays for the Commonwealth of Virginia, and all state offices are closed on this day.

The **Suffolk Tourism Visitor Center** will remain open during the holiday weekend.

All **Suffolk City Libraries** will be closed Friday, January 13 through Monday, January 16, 2012.

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The **Suffolk Art Gallery** will be closed Friday, January 13 through Monday, January 16, 2012.

Suffolk Joint Use Recreation Centers will operate on their regular schedules on Friday, January 13. On Monday, January 16, these centers will only be open for youth league athletic practices.

East Suffolk Recreation Center will be open Friday, January 13, from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for the afterschool program. East Suffolk Recreation Center will be closed on Monday, January 16.

Suffolk's four major parks – Lone Star Lakes, Constant's Wharf, Sleepy Hole, and Bennett's Creek will remain open Friday, January 13 and Monday, January 16; however, no park attendant will be on duty.

There will be no changes to the trash collection schedule for Friday, January 13. TFC Recycling will also conduct their normal recycling collection routes on Friday, January 13. **Suffolk Public Works Department** reminds you that trash must be placed at curbside no later than 7:00 a.m. on the day of collection. For more information on refuse collection, please call Public Works at 514-7630.

The **Southeastern Public Safety Authority (SPSA) Transfer Station in Suffolk** will be open Friday, January 13 from 7:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. until 12 p.m. on Monday, January 16. The **Regional Landfill** will be open Friday, January 13 from 7 a.m. until 12 p.m. and will be closed on Monday, January 16.

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