

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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

SUFFOLK, VA (July 28, 2015) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Tuesday, July 28, 2015 due to construction and maintenance projects.

#### **New Projects:**

(Route 17) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Route 17 for asphalt repair from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Route 460) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have alternating mobile lane closures in both directions on Route 460 for asphalt repair from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

(Lake Prince Drive) – Suffolk Department of Public Works paint crew will have mobile lane closures on Lake Prince Drive between Pruden Boulevard and Everets Road from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

(Manning Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have flagging operation on Manning Road between Mineral Spring Road and Box Elder Road for drainage maintenance from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

(Nansemond Parkway) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Nansemond Parkway Southbound between Ryan Arch and Cedar Lake Drive for milling from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Nansemond Parkway) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Nansemond Parkway Southbound between Route 58 Overpass and Golden Maple for paving from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Progress Road) – A contractor will have a lane closure on Progress Road between Nansemond Parkway and Wilroy Road for a paving operation from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Route 17 & Bridge Road) – A contractor will have intermittent lane closures at the intersection of Bridge Road/Route 17 and Bennetts Pasture Road for paving from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Route 17 & Bridge Road) – A contractor will have intermittent mobile lane closures on Bridge Road/Route 17 and Lee Farm Lane for pavement marking in this intersection today 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Route 58) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on Route 58 westbound from Route 460 to the Chesapeake City Line for vegetation maintenance from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

(North Broad Street) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on North Broad Street between West Washington and 3rd Avenue from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Brewer Avenue) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on Brewer Avenue between West Washington to Dead End from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(Bute Street) – A contractor will have a mobile operation on Bute Street between West Washington and 3rd Avenue from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Tyson Court) – Monday, July 27th and Tuesday, July 28th: All traffic to the Public Works OPS Center and the construction site for the new OPS Center will be required to utilize the driveway at the signalized intersection of the Route 13 Bypass and Carolina Road. During this work, Tyson Court will be blocked at its intersection with Carolina Road. All traffic from the south will be required to turn right at the traffic signal instead of using Tyson Court. All traffic from the west, arriving via the Route 13 bypass will enter as normal by passing through the traffic signal. The major change will be for traffic from the north, (Downtown Suffolk). Traffic Engineering will be installing an inside lane closure in the south bound lane prior the Route 13 bypass. A temporary left turn lane will then be established at the traffic signal. Traffic utilizing this movement will be required to yield to oncoming traffic prior to turning and will be appropriately signed.

(Woodrow Avenue) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have the 100 block of Woodrow Avenue closed from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

### **Ongoing Projects:**

(Route 58/Portsmouth Boulevard) – A contractor working at the Park and Ride will have the westbound right shoulder on Route 58/Portsmouth Boulevard, between C Street and Nansemond Parkway, closed until further notice to facilitate installation of a turn lane for the parking lot.

(Godwin Boulevard) – A contractor is working in the right-of-way along the east side of Godwin Boulevard between Harrell Drive and the Virginia Dominion Power facility right-of-way along Pembroke Lane and at Kings Highway in the vicinity of the Chuckatuck Fire Department. Flagging operations may be required. This work is scheduled to be completed by September 1, 2015.

(Shoulders Hill Road) - A contractor will be constructing a new water transmission main along the Shoulders Hill Road Project. The project is scheduled to begin in early April and be completed by August 15, 2015. From June 15, 2015 to August 15, 2015, the northbound lane will be closed and detours will be in place. For more information and updates please visit: <http://www.shouldershillwatermain.com>.

(Various locations) – A contractor will be working on the installation of water and sewer mains for the Crittenden/Eclipse water and sewer extension project. The work hours will be from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. The project will be ongoing until Summer 2015. Flagging operations will be necessary on the following streets: Wignell Street, Vine Street, Pike Street during the period of construction.

(Bennetts Pasture Road and Route 17/Bridge Road) – A contractor will be working at the intersection of Bennetts Pasture Road & Route 17/Bridge Road for the installation of turn lanes. Ongoing work will continue for several months with flagging operations from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Moderate to heavy traffic patterns should be anticipated.

(Turlington Park Neighborhood) – A contractor will be working on the installation of the sewer mains for the Turlington Park Neighborhood. The work hours will be 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday. Anticipate detoured traffic in the neighborhood as the sewer mains are being constructed. The project scheduled completion date is October 4, 2015.

(Portsmouth Boulevard and Nansemond Parkway) - A contractor will be reconstructing the commuter parking lot at the old VDOT weigh scales near the intersection of Portsmouth Boulevard and Nansemond Parkway. The hours of operation are from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Friday. All commuters who use this lot are directed to use the designated parking area in the Food Lion parking lot at the intersection of Portsmouth Boulevard and Suburban Drive. Anticipate limited short term lane closures.

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