



NEWS RELEASE

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UPDATE

(North Main Street) -- A contractor will have the northbound and southbound left lanes on North Main Street between Prentis Street and Mahan Street closed leaving one lane open to traffic in both directions. City, Emergency & Resident access will be accommodated as needed. This closure will be in effect from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m.

(Godwin Boulevard & Kings Highway) -- A contractor will have a flagging operation at the intersection of Godwin Boulevard/Route 10 and Kings Highway until 4 p.m. Suffolk Police will be on scene to assist with traffic control.

ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (October 6, 2015) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Tuesday, October 6, 2015 due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(Western Avenue and Church Street) – A contractor will have a flagging operation at the intersection of Western Avenue and Church Street from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(McLauren Drive) – A contractor will have McLauren Drive closed for paving from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(North River Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have the turn lane to North River Road closed on Harbourview Boulevard from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Holy Neck Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 5000 block of Holy Neck Road for ditch maintenance from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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

(North Main Street) – North Main Street at Kimberly Bridge will have periodic partial and full lane closures during high tide cycles. The duration of these cycles are usually within two hours before and two hours after high tide.

(Prentis Street) – A contractor will have Prentis Street closed to thru traffic between Constance Avenue and Pine Street. Traffic will be detoured to surrounding streets. City, Emergency and Resident access will be accommodated. The closure will be in effect for 24 hours a day until further notice.

(Bridge Road) – A contractor will have a lane closure on the southbound turn lane of Bridge Road turning onto Lee Farm Lane between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Ongoing Projects:

(Katherine Street) – A contractor will have Katherine Street closed between East Pinner Street and East Constance Road from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. All traffic will be detoured to surrounding streets. Accommodations will be made for residents and emergency vehicles. Work will continue until further notice.

(Seaboard Trail) – A contractor will have the Seaboard Trail from Main Street to Moore Avenue closed to all pedestrians until further notice.

(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 November 30, 2015.

(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 November 1, 2015.

(Church Street) – A contractor will have Church Street closed between Dumville Lane and Mahan Street from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. All traffic will be detoured to surrounding streets. Accommodations will be made for residents and emergency vehicles. Work will continue thru October 30, 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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