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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (January 11, 2019) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures that could cause delays, Friday, January 11, 2019, due to construction and maintenance projects.

New Projects:

(South Division Street) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagging operation in the 200 block of South Division Street from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Carolina Road) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a left lane closure southbound on Carolina Road between the 800 block and Airport Road for shoulder maintenance from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and then return northbound from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

(Shoulders Hill Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 5600 block of Shoulders Hill Road from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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(Route 58) – A contractor will have a mobile operation westbound on Route 58 between the Holland Bypass and the Southampton County line for debris pickup from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

(Route 460) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Route 460 between the Route 58 interchange and Isle of Wight County line for pothole patching from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(Indian Trail) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a mobile operation on Indian Trail for pothole patching from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

(various locations) – Suffolk Department of Public Works will have mobile operations throughout the City treating primary roadways with an anti-icing solution from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Upcoming Projects:

(Badger Road) – Beginning Monday, January 14, Badger Road will be closed to thru traffic until approximately April 2019. The current bridge will be removed and replaced with a concrete structure. Variable message boards will be placed to notify motorists of the upcoming closure.

(Nansemond Parkway) – A contractor will have alternating lane closures on Nansemond Parkway between Bridlewood Lane and Wilroy Road and on Wilroy Road between Long Point Lane and Nansemond Parkway from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, January 12.

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Ongoing Projects:

(Carolina Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation on Carolina Road at Whaleyville Boulevard from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The detour has been lifted at this time.

(Kings Fork Road) – A contractor will have a flagging operation in the 400 block of Kings Fork Road between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

(Magnolia Drive) – Beginning, Monday, November 26, a contractor will have a flagging operation on Magnolia Drive between Vernon Drive and Camellia Drive from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The drainage pipe repair is expected to be complete in February 2019, weather permitting.

(Kings Fork Road) – A contractor will have a northbound shoulder closure in the 400 block of Kings Fork Road.

(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 2019 for a bridge replacement. The current bridge will be removed and replaced with a concrete structure.

(Southwestern Boulevard) – Southwestern Boulevard will be closed between OKelly Drive and Trumpet Drive with a detour in place from November 2, 2018 to April 2019 for a bridge replacement. The current bridge will be removed and replaced with a concrete structure.

(Portsmouth Boulevard) – A contractor will have the eastbound and westbound shoulders closed in the 1200 block of Portsmouth Boulevard.

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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 and occasional northbound lane closures 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 February 2019.

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