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PROJECT UPDATE

Lakeshore Park Road Closure for Water Main Installation Delayed due to Weather *Greenway Closure Still Scheduled for Saturday, June 27*

The closure of a section of Lakeside Drive in Lakeshore Park for water main installation, originally scheduled for today, June 23, has been delayed until Wednesday, June 24, due to weather. KUB crews are installing a new 8-inch water main in the southern section of Lakeshore Park that will create a secondary feed into the nearby Fourth Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant. This work will be performed daily between 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. See the updated schedule below for dates and details related to this project. Additional updates will be issued if dates shift due to weather.

- **Wednesday, June 23 – [RESCHEDULED – SECTION OF LAKESIDE DRIVE CLOSED]** KUB Underground Construction will install the new water pipe across Lakeside Drive. This will require a full road closure between 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. on a short section of Lakeside Drive just west of the parking lot entrance. The road cut area will be repaved on either June 23 or 24, depending on weather and construction. All other roads and access to the parking lot will be maintained. Appropriate signs and traffic control measures will be implemented during this period.
- **Wednesday, June 23, / Thursday, June 24** – UGC will begin installing water pipe on the south side of the project adjacent to the access road adjacent the Fourth Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant.
- **Saturday, June 27 – [SECTION OF GREENWAY CLOSED]** KUB Underground Construction will install the majority of the water pipe in the areas northeast and east of the soccer fields. Two crews will be working during this time. ***A short section of greenway will be closed in the area adjacent to the southeast corner of the soccer fields at this time as the water pipe is installed underneath the pathway.*** Restoration may extend to June 28, depending on construction and weather. Signs will be in place throughout this area to indicate the greenway closure.
- **Week of June 29** – The two services will be tied to the new water main during the week of June 29.

KUB thanks City of Knoxville Parks and Recreation for their assistance with this project, and its customers for their cooperation. Customers with questions or concerns can call 558-2331 after normal business hours to leave a message that will be followed-up with a call from a KUB representative by the end of the next business day.

See updated project area map on page 2.



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