

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

August 20, 2021

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications and External Relations

Re: Traffic Advisory – Lane/Road Closures for Utility Work [All closures and work are weather permitting]

(Fort Sanders Area) Seventeenth Street Road Closure [August 22] – KUB crews will close a short section of Seventeenth Street between Highland Avenue and Laurel Avenue to through traffic from 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. on Sunday, August 22, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. Alternate routes include Clinch Avenue, Sixteenth Street, and Highland Avenue. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Traffic Impacts [August 23-27] – KUB contract crews will implement the below traffic control measures as indicated daily from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., Monday, August 23, through Friday, August 27, as work continues on the wastewater collection system in the area:

- Intermittent lane closures
 - Keowee Avenue between Iskagna Drive and Talahi Drive
 - Hillvale Circle
 - Keowee Avenue between Iskagna Drive and Cherokee Boulevard
- Intermittent Road Closures
 - Glenfield Drive between Scenic Drive and Oakhurst Drive
 - Cherokee boulevard between Kenesaw Avenue and Woodland Drive

Residential access will be maintained, and through traffic should follow the onsite detours. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

Some listed closures may extend beyond the scheduled times depending on the conditions encountered during excavation and construction. Appropriate traffic control measures will be in place at each location to assist motorists traveling in these areas. Due to the ongoing presence of workers and equipment, motorists are advised to use caution and expect temporary delays in these areas. More information on this and other KUB construction projects can be found at www.kub.org.

Tennessee's **Move Over Law** requires motorists approaching a utility vehicle with flashing lights to move over if safe to do so, creating an empty lane buffer. When changing lanes is not possible, motorists must reduce speed.

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