

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

March 8, 2019

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(North Knoxville) Heiskell Avenue [March 10-15] – KUB contract crews will implement overnight closures of a short section of Heiskell Avenue between the northbound I-275 exit ramp and N. Central Street, daily, from 6 p.m. – 7 a.m., as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area:

- **ROAD CLOSED** – Sunday, March 10. Alternate routes include: E. Woodland Avenue, N. Central Street, Bruhin Road, and Clinton Highway
- **LANE CLOSURE** – Monday, March 11, through Friday, March 15,

Access to local businesses will be maintained, as will traffic in both directions. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(North Knoxville) N. Central Street Lane Closure [March 10-15] – KUB contract crews will implement an overnight lane closure at N. Central Street between Coram Street and Heiskell Avenue nightly, from 6 p.m. - 7 a.m., starting Sunday, March 10, through Friday, March 15, as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. This closure will also affect the intersection of N. Central Street, Bruhin Road, and Heiskell Avenue. Access to local businesses will be maintained, as will traffic in both directions. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Halls Crossroads) Brown Gap Road Closure [March 11-12] – KUB crews will close a short section of Brown Gap Road between Carter Road and Cedarchase Boulevard to through traffic on the times and dates listed below as work is performed on the electric distribution system in the area:

- Monday, March 11, from 8:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m. & 3:30-5p.m.
- Tuesday, March 12, from 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Carter Road through traffic will not be able to turn left onto Brown Gap Road, but local traffic access will be maintained. Alternate routes include Tazewell Pike, Carter Road, Brown Gap Road, and Crippen Road. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(East Knoxville) E. Governor John Sevier Highway Lane Closure [March 11-15] – KUB crews will implement a closure of the southbound lane of E. Governor John Sevier Highway between Rivers Run Drive and Holbert Lane daily from 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m., starting Monday, March 11, through Friday, March 15, as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area. The northbound lane will remain open and the center turn will be used for southbound traffic. Access to local businesses and homes will be maintained. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Cherokee Boulevard Westbound Lane Closure (March 11-15) – KUB contract crews will close the westbound lane of traffic on the section of Cherokee Boulevard between Tugaloo Drive and Kennesaw Avenue daily from 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. starting Monday, March 11, through Friday, March 15, as part of ongoing wastewater collection system work in the area. Eastbound traffic will be maintained on this section of Cherokee Boulevard. Detour routes around the work zone will shift to coordinate traffic flow and construction in other areas:

- **Monday, March 11, and Tuesday, March 12** – Westbound traffic flow will be detoured via Tugaloo Drive, Taliluna Avenue, and Kennesaw Avenue.
- **Wednesday, March 13, through Friday, March 15** – Taliluna Avenue will close for wastewater collection system construction. Detour route will shift with the eastbound lane of Cherokee Boulevard used to alternate traffic flow. Flaggers will be present to alternate traffic and maintain flow.

Appropriate traffic control measures, including signs and barriers, will be in place to assist with traffic flow. Access to driveways will be maintained. All lanes will reopen to normal traffic flow outside of listed work hours and on weekends. The Sequoyah Greenway will not be affected by this work.

(Sequoyah Hills) Taliluna Avenue Road Closure [March 13-15] – KUB contract crews will close Taliluna Avenue between Kenesaw Avenue and Tugaloo Drive to through traffic from 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. daily, starting Wednesday, March 13, through Friday, March 15, as work is performed on the wastewater collection systems in the area. Alternate routes include Kenesaw Avenue, Talahi Drive, and Keowee Avenue. Access to driveways and local businesses will be maintained. Appropriate signage and barricades will be on site to assist with traffic control. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Keowee Avenue Road Closure [March 11-15] – KUB contract crews will close Keowee Avenue between Southgate Road and West Nokomis Circle to through traffic from 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. daily, starting Monday, March 11, through Friday, March 15, as work is performed on the wastewater collection systems in the area. Alternate routes include Sequoyah Avenue, Taliluna Avenue, Wilani Road, and Agawela Avenue. Access to driveways and local businesses will be maintained. Appropriate signage and barricades will be on site to assist with traffic control. 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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