Knoxville Utilities Board

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TRAFFIC ADVISORY

March 11, 2019

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(Powell) Central Avenue Pike Road Closure [March 12-13] – KUB crews will close a short section of Central Avenue Pike between Emory Road and Overton Lane to through traffic from 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. daily, on Tuesday, March 12, and Wednesday, March 13, as work is performed on the electric distribution system in the area. Alternate routes in the area include Beaver Creek Drive and Powell Drive. Access to local driveways will be maintained. Flaggers 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.

KUB is a municipal utility serving Knox and parts of seven adjacent counties and provides electric, natural gas, water, and wastewater services to more than 459,000 customers.

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