

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

July 27, 2020

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(S. Knox) Chapman Highway Lane Closure [July 28] – KUB crews will close a short section of the northbound, curbside lane of Chapman Highway between Hawthorne Avenue and Mimosa Avenue from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Tuesday, July 28, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. One northbound lane, the center turn lane, both southbound lanes, and turn access too area businesses will be maintained. Wednesday, July 29, will be used as a rain date if necessary.

(Inskip Area) Road Closure – Rowan Road [July 28] – KUB crews will implement a road closure of Rowan Road between Cedar Lane and Henrietta Drive from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., Tuesday, July 28, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. Alternate routes include Cedar Lane, Willoway Drive, and Henrietta Drive. Flaggers will be on site to assist with traffic control. Access to area homes and driveways will be maintained. Wednesday, July 29, will be used as a rain date if necessary.

(West Knoxville) Middlebrook Pike Lane Closure [July 28] – KUB crews will implement a closure of the eastbound, curbside lane of Middlebrook Pike between Lake Brook Boulevard and Dowell Springs Boulevard from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., Tuesday, July 28, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. One eastbound lane, both westbound lanes, and turn access will be maintained. Wednesday, July 29, will be used as a rain date if 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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