



TRAFFIC ADVISORIES

May 31, 2019

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(Downtown) S. Gay Street Road Closure [Overnight, June 2-3] – KUB crews will close a short section of S. Gay Street between W. Summit Hill Drive and W. Jackson Avenue overnight from 8 p.m. on Sunday, June 2, through 6 a.m. Monday, June 3, as work is performed on the electric distribution system in the area. The sidewalk on the east side of the roadway will also be closed during this timeframe. Alternate routes include S. Central Street, W. Jackson Avenue, N. Broadway, and W. Summit Hill Drive. Flaggers and signs will be onsite to assist with traffic control. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Downtown) Clinch Avenue Lane Closure [June 3] – KUB crews will reduce a short section of Clinch Avenue between Locust Street and Walnut Street to one alternating lane of traffic from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., on Monday, June 3, as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area. The westbound lane will be closed while the eastbound lane remains open to alternate traffic through the work zone. The adjacent sidewalk on the north side of the road will also be closed during this time.

(North Knoxville) Heiskell Avenue [June 3-7] – KUB contract crews will implement lane closures of a short section of Heiskell Avenue between the northbound I-275 exit ramp and N. Central Street, daily, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. The closed lane will vary, however traffic in both directions will be maintained at all times. It is possible work may extend beyond 3 p.m. occasionally to allow crews to complete work. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Sequoyah Hills Area Traffic Impacts [June 3-7] – KUB contract crews will implement the below indicated traffic control measures during work hours, 7 a.m.- 5 p.m., Monday-Friday, June 3-7, as work continues on the wastewater collection system project in the area:

- Daily southbound lane closures during work hours:
 - Cherokee Boulevard between Tugaloo Drive and Kenesaw Avenue (Northbound lane remains open. Southbound traffic detoured via Tugaloo Drive, Taliluna Avenue, and Kenesaw Avenue)
- Intermittent road closures as needed during work hours:
 - Woodland Drive at Kenesaw Avenue
 - o Bluff View Road between Scenic Drive and Holloway Drive
 - o Holloway Drive between Cedarhill Road and Bluff View Road
 - o Whitlow Avenue between Lakeland Drive and Bluff View Road
- Intermittent road closures as needed for concrete restoration. Please notes some of these sections may be closed for up to 24 hours to allow the concrete to set:
 - o Iskagna Drive between E. Nokomis Circle and Kenesaw Avenue
 - Windgate Street between Iskagna Drive and Oakhurst Drive
 - W. Nokomis Circle between E. Nokomis Circle and Iskagna Drive
 - o E. Nokomis Circle between W. Nokomis Circle and Iskagna Drive

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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