

TRAFFIC ADVISORIES

July 26, 2019

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(Downtown) Strong Street, Union Avenue Road Closure [July 27 & 28] – KUB crews will close the below sections of roadway to traffic on the dates and times indicated as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area:

- Saturday, July 27 – Strong Street (alley behind Krutch Park) closed 6 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Sunday, July 28 – Union Avenue between Walnut Street and S. Gay Street closed 6 a.m. – noon. Alternate routes include S. Gay Street, Clinch Avenue, Walnut Street, and W. Summit Hill Avenue. As part of this closure, Market Street between W. Church Avenue and Union Avenue will also be closed.

Flaggers and signs will be onsite to assist with traffic control. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Sequoyah Hills Area Traffic Impacts [July 29-August 2] – KUB contract crews will implement the below indicated traffic control measures during work hours, 7 a.m.- 5 p.m., Monday-Friday, July 29-August 2, as work continues on the wastewater collection system project in the area:

- Daily lane closures during work hours:
 - Cherokee Boulevard between Southgate Road and Lakeland Drive
 - Cherokee Boulevard between Lakeland Drive and Scenic Drive
 - Keowee Avenue between Kenesaw Avenue and Talahi Avenue
- Intermittent road closures as needed during work hours:
 - Kenesaw Avenue between Cherokee Boulevard and Taliluna Avenue
 - Navaho Road between Scenic Drive and South Garden Road
 - Taliluna Avenue between South Garden Road and Lakeland Drive
 - Iskagna Drive between Kenesaw Avenue and Keowee Avenue

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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