TRAFFIC ADVISORY

June 9, 2020

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(North Knox) Highland Drive Road Closure [Daily, June 10-12] – KUB crews will implement a closure of Highland Drive between Mount Pleasant Road and Jenkins Road daily from 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., Wednesday, June 10, through Friday, June 12, as work is performed on both the water distribution and wastewater collection systems in the area. Alternate routes include Mount Pleasant Road, Woodrow Drive, and Jenkins Road. Flaggers will be on site to assist with traffic control and local access will be maintained.

(Halls) Andersonville Pike Intermittent Lane Closure [Weekdays, June 10 – July 10] – KUB contract crews will implement intermittent lane closures of Andersonville Pike between E. Emory Road and Maynardville Pike as needed weekdays from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. weekdays, starting Wednesday, June 10, through Friday, July 10, as work is performed on the electric distribution system in the area. Lane closures will only occur as needed, and the entire section of roadway will not be impacted at one time. Traffic flow will be maintained in both directions, and local turn access will be maintained. 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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