TRAFFIC ADVISORY

July 30, 2021

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications and External Relations

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

(Marble City) I-40 Lane Closures [Overnight, August 2-6] – KUB contract crews will implement lane closures of I-40 at the Liberty Street overpass overnights from 8 p.m. – 6 a.m., starting Monday night, August 2, through Friday morning, August 6, for natural gas system inspection work in the area. Crews will begin work in the eastbound lanes before shifting to the westbound lanes, and two lanes of traffic will be closed at a time while two lanes of traffic remain open. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Traffic Impacts [August 2-6] – KUB contract crews will implement the below traffic control measures as indicated daily from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., Monday, August 2, through Friday, August 6, as work continues on the wastewater collection system in the area:

- Intermittent lane closures
  - Kenesaw Avenue between Cherokee Boulevard and Westerwood Avenue
  - Keowee Avenue between Iskagna Drive and Talahi Drive
- Intermittent Road Closures
  - Glenfield Drive between Scenic Drive and Oakhurst Drive

Residential access will be maintained, and through traffic should follow the onsite detours. 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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