

## TRAFFIC ADVISORY

July 31, 2020

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

**(Downtown) James White Parkway Rolling Roadblocks [August 3]** – KUB crews will implement a series of rolling roadblocks of northbound and southbound James White Parkway at the Summit Hill Drive overpass from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., on Monday, August 3, to safely pull spans of wire across the roadway. Traffic flow on both sides of the roadway will be stopped twice during work hours, for up to 10 minutes each time, to complete work. Appropriate traffic control operators and law enforcement will be on site. Tuesday, August 4, will be used as a rain date if necessary.

**(East Knoxville) N. Chilhowee Drive Road Closure [August 3-11]** – KUB contract crews will implement a road closure of N. Chilhowee Drive at Asheville Highway continuously from 6 a.m., Monday, August 3, through 6 p.m., Tuesday, August 11, for wastewater system work and roadway restoration in this area. The closed section of roadway will be between Mohawk Drive and Asheville Highway, and **through traffic access from Rutledge Pike to Asheville Highway will be closed.** Local traffic access will be maintained. Iroquois Drive, Seminole Drive, Mohawk Drive, Indian Road, and Silva Drive should be used for local traffic access around the work zone.

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](http://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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