

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

February 1, 2023

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

Re: Traffic Advisory – Lane Closures for Utility Work [All closures and work are weather permitting]

(Sequoyah Hills) Kingston Pike Lane Closures [Overnight, February 2-3] – KUB crews will reduce a short section of Kingston Pike to one east- and one westbound lane between Kingston Park Drive and Scenic Drive overnight starting at 8 p.m., Thursday, February 2, and lasting through 5 a.m., Friday, February 3, as work is performed on the natural gas system in the area. The westbound lanes will be closed on this section of Kingston Pike with traffic flow shifted to the eastbound lanes to maintain one eastbound and one westbound lane of traffic. Flaggers will be present. Access will be maintained to driveways. All lanes will reopen to normal traffic flow outside of listed work hours. 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, including flaggers, channeling devices, and barricades, 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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