TRAFFIC ADVISORY

June 8, 2020

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(West Knox) Kingston Pike Lane Closure [Overnight, June 9-10] – KUB crews will implement a closure of the curbside, eastbound lane of Kingston Pike between Walker Springs Road and Gallaher View Road overnight from 10 p.m., Tuesday, June 9, through 6 a.m., Wednesday, June 10, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. One eastbound lane, the center turn lane, and both westbound lanes will remain open as will access to area businesses. Thursday night, June 11-12, will be used as a rain date if 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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