

## TRAFFIC ADVISORY

December 4, 2020

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

**(West Knoxville) Middlebrook Pike Lane Closure [December 5]** – KUB crews will close the eastbound curbside lane of traffic on a short section of Middlebrook Pike between Lake Brook Boulevard and Dick Lonas Road from 6 a.m. – 4 p.m., Saturday, December 5, as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area. One eastbound lane, all turn lanes, and both westbound lanes will remain open. Access to area driveways will be maintained.

**(North Knoxville) N. Broadway Lane Closure [December 6]** – KUB crews will close the northbound lane of traffic on a short section of N. Broadway between Silver Place and Caswell Avenue from 6 a.m. – 4 p.m., Sunday, December 6, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. The southbound lane will remain open to normal traffic flow while northbound traffic flow will be shifted to the center turn lane on this section of N. Broadway. Access to area driveways will be maintained.

**(Fort Sanders) Laurel Avenue Lane Closure [December 6]** – KUB crews will reduce a short section of Laurel Avenue to one eastbound lane of traffic between Eleventh Street and Twelfth Street from 6 a.m. – 4 p.m., Sunday, December 6, as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. One eastbound lane of traffic will be maintained. Street parking will also be restricted on this section of Laurel Avenue.

**(South Knox) Lincoln Street (December 7 & 8)** – KUB contract crews will implement lane closures along Lincoln Street daily between 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. on Monday, December 7, and Tuesday, December 8, as work continues on the wastewater collection system in this area.

**(East Knox) Skyline Drive [December 7-11]** – KUB contract crews will implement intermittent road closures along sections of Skyline Drive between Wedgewood Road and Sunset Court between 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. daily, Monday, December 7, through Friday, December 11, as work continues on the wastewater collection system in the area.

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.

*KUB is a municipal utility serving Knox and parts of seven adjacent counties and provides electric, natural gas, water, and wastewater services to more than 468,000 customers.*

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