

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

April 9, 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]

(North Knox) Road Closure – Pleasant Ridge Road [April 11] – KUB crews will close a short section of Pleasant Ridge Road between Wilson Road and Rambling Road to through traffic from 7 a.m. – 4 p.m., Sunday, April 11, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. Alternate routes include Bradshaw Road, Ball Camp Pike, Western Avenue, and Sanderson Road. Access to area driveways will be maintained and follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Park City) Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue Lane Closure [April 11] – KUB crews will reduce a short section of Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue to one alternating lane of traffic between Houston Street and S. Hembree Street from 6:30 a.m. – 4 p.m., Sunday, April 11, as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. The eastbound lane will be closed while the westbound lane remains open to alternate traffic through the work zone. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Downtown) Summit Hill Intersections [Overnight, April 12-13] – KUB crews will implement the below traffic control measures overnight April 12-13, midnight – 5 a.m., as work is performed on the electric distribution system in the area:

- Northbound turn lane of S. Gay Street to W. Summit Hill Drive closed
- S. Gay Street crosswalk on south side of the S. Gay Street and W. Summit Hill Drive intersection closed
- Lane shift in the W. Summit Hill Drive and Walnut Street intersection. Traffic flow will be maintained through the intersection.

Flaggers will be on site to assist with traffic control, and follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Corryton) Tazewell Pike Lane Closure [Overnight, April 12-16] – KUB crews will close a short section of the southbound lane of Tazewell Pike between Atkins Road and Carter Road overnights from 7 p.m. – 6 a.m., starting Monday night, April 12, through Friday morning, April 16, as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area. The southbound lane will be closed while the northbound lane remains open to alternate traffic through the work zone, and the closed lane will reopen outside of work hours. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(Sequoyah Hills) Traffic Impacts [April 12-16] – KUB contract crews will implement the below traffic control measures as indicated daily 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., Monday, April 12, through Friday, April 16, as work continues on the wastewater collection system in the area:

- Intermittent daily road closures of Lake View Drive
- Intermittent daily road closures of Boxwood Square
- Intermittent daily lane closure of Cherokee Boulevard (Northbound lane) between Woodland Drive and Kenesaw Avenue
- Oakhurst Drive between Kingston Pike and Woodhill Place

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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