

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

November 26, 2018

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(West Knoxville) Division Street Road Closure [November 27-29] – KUB contract crews will close a short section Division Street, between Liberty Street and Knott Avenue, continuously from 9 a.m., Tuesday, November 27, through 3 p.m., Thursday, November 29, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. Alternate routes include Sutherland Avenue, Dance Avenue and Walker Street. Signs will be on site to assist with traffic control. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(North Knoxville) Road Closure – Haynes-Sterchi Road [November 28-December 7] – KUB contractor crews will close a short section of Haynes-Sterchi Road between Ozard Drive and Woodview Drive daily from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., beginning Wednesday, November 28, through Friday, December 7, as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. Alternate routes include Cedar Heights Road, Dry Gap Pike, and Rowan Road. The road will re-open after hours, and work will not occur over the weekend. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control, and access to area driveways will be maintained.

(Downtown Knoxville) S. Gay Street Lane Closures [November 27 & 28] – KUB contract crews and crews will implement the below traffic control measures on S. Gay Street between 7 a.m., Tuesday, November 27, through noon Wednesday, November 28:

- **Between Clinch Avenue and Union Avenue** - northbound, curbside lane and adjacent sidewalk closed for concrete restoration following water distribution system work. This closure will be in place for the duration of the above-mentioned timeframe.
- **Between Clinch Avenue and W. Church Avenue** - northbound, curbside lane closed for electric distribution system work from midnight Tuesday, November 27, through 5 a.m., Wednesday, November 28.

One northbound lane and both southbound lanes will remain open during this time, and the Clinch Avenue intersection will not be impacted. On-street parking on northbound S. Gay Street will be unavailable. 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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