

TRAFFIC ADVISORIES

July 5, 2019

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(Sequoyah Hills) Sequoyah Hills Area Traffic Impacts [July 8-12] – KUB contract crews will implement the below indicated traffic control measures during work hours, 7 a.m.- 5 p.m., Monday-Friday, July 8 - 12, as work continues on the wastewater collection system project in the area:

- Daily lane closures during work hours:
 - Cherokee Boulevard between Southgate Road and Lakeland Drive
 - Cherokee Boulevard between Lakeland Drive and Scenic Drive
- Intermittent road closures as needed during work hours:
 - Cedarhill Road between Scenic Drive and Whitlow Avenue
 - Keowee Avenue between Kenesaw Avenue and Talahi Avenue
 - Kenesaw Avenue Iskagna Drive and Woodland Drive
- Intermittent road closures as needed for concrete restoration. Please notes some of these sections may be closed for up to 24 hours to allow the concrete to set:
 - Iskagna Drive between Kenesaw Avenue and Keowee Avenue
 - Talahi Avenue between Kennesaw Avenue and Keowee Avenue

(Downtown Knoxville) Cumberland Avenue Road Closure [July 8-9] – KUB crews will close a short section of Cumberland Avenue between S. Gay Street and Walnut Street to traffic from 7 a.m. – 3 p.m. on both Monday, July 8, and Tuesday, July 9, as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area. The sidewalk on the south side of Cumberland Avenue will also be closed during this time. Alternate routes include W. Church Avenue, S. Gay Street, W. Hill Avenue, and Walnut Street. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

(South Knoxville) Chapman Highway Lane Closure [July 8-31] – KUB crews will implement a continuous lane closure of the southbound, curbside turn lane of Chapman Highway between Majestic Grove Boulevard and Mountain Grove Drive from 7 a.m., Monday, July 8, through 5 p.m., Wednesday, July 31, as work is performed on the natural gas distribution system in the area. Two southbound lanes, the center turn lane, and both northbound lanes will remain open. Access to area businesses will be maintained via Majestic Grove Boulevard and Mountain Grove Drive. Appropriate signage and barricades will be on site to assist with traffic control. 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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