

## TRAFFIC ADVISORY

February 11, 2019

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

**(Old City Area) W. Magnolia Avenue Lane Closure [February 12]** – KUB crews will implement a lane closure on a short section of W. Magnolia Avenue between N. Gay Street and Williams Street from 4-7 a.m., Tuesday, February 12, to allow for safe manhole access. The eastbound lane will be closed, and the westbound lane will remain open and be used to alternate traffic through the work zone. The sidewalk on the south side of the road will be closed during this time. Access to local businesses will be maintained. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

**(Halls) Maynardville Pike Lane Closure [February 12]** – KUB contract crews will close the southbound, curbside lane on a short section of Maynardville Pike between Neal Drive and Fountain Valley Drive from 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m., Tuesday, February 12, as crews replace a utility pole in the area. One southbound lane and both northbound lanes will remain open during this period. Flaggers, signs, and barricades will be on site to assist with traffic control. Access to local businesses will be maintained. 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](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.

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