TRAFFIC ADVISORY

April 28, 2023

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(Whittle Springs) Whittle Springs Road Closures – KUB contractor crews will implement intermittent road closures on a short section of Whittle Springs Road between Seymour Avenue and Sandra Avenue daily between 7 a.m. – 5 p.m., May 1-5 as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. Alternate routes when the road closure is in effect include Fairmont Boulevard, Fairway Drive, and Washington Pike. Flaggers will be present. Access to connecting side streets and driveways will be maintained. All lanes will reopen to normal traffic flow outside of listed work hours. 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, including flaggers, channeling devices, and barricades, 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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