NEWS RELEASE

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For Immediate Release

Section of Neyland Greenway Closed near Kuwahee Wastewater Treatment Plant
Detour Route Open on North Side of Neyland Drive

KUB and its contractor will close the section of the Neyland Greenway between Lake Loudoun Boulevard and Third Creek starting Monday, August 2, and lasting continuously through October 2021, to facilitate safe conditions as work is performed at the Kuwahee Wastewater Treatment Plant on the north bank of the Tennessee River.

A detour route around the closed section of the Neyland Greenway will be open along the shoulder area on the north side of Neyland Drive (see attached map) between Lake Loudoun Boulevard and Joan Cronan Way to the Kuwahee Greenway. Portable barriers will be set up to avoid conflicts with vehicle traffic on Neyland Drive.

To familiarize greenway users with the upcoming changes, signage will be placed at key locations along the detour route, and on the Third Creek and Neyland Greenways.

The impacted section of greenway will be closed continuously throughout the duration of the work. KUB asks greenway users to please respect the signage and barricades in place, and to avoid this section of greenway due to ongoing excavation, as well as the presence of construction equipment, materials, vehicles, and workers.

All lanes of vehicle traffic will remain open on Neyland Drive.

Follow up news releases will be issued as needed for this work and greenway closure.

KUB thanks City of Knoxville Parks and Recreation for their assistance with this project, and its customers for their cooperation. Customers with questions or concerns can call (865) 558-2331 after normal business hours to leave a message that will be followed-up with a call from a KUB representative by the end of the next business day.

See the attached map of the closure and detour areas on Page 2.
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