

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

October 20, 2016

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

(North Knoxville) Fremont Place Lane Closure [October 21] – KUB contract crews will reduce a section of Fremont Place to one alternating lane of traffic, between East Woodland Avenue and Bluff Street, from 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. on Friday, October 21, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. The southbound lane will be closed while the northbound lane remains open and is used to alternate traffic through the work zone. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control.

(North Knoxville) Road Closure- Parkdale Road [October 21, 24, & 25] – KUB contract crews will close a short section of Parkdale Road, between Ridgecrest Drive and Woodberry Drive, daily from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., Friday, October 21, Monday, October 24, and Tuesday, October 25, as work is performed on the wastewater collection system in the area. All lanes will reopen to traffic outside of listed work hours. Alternate routes include Rifle Range Road, Dry Gap Pike, Haynes-Sterchi Road, and Cedar Lane. Local traffic access to driveways will be maintained, and flaggers will be on site to assist with traffic control.

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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