

## TRAFFIC ADVISORY

December 22, 2016

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

**(Sequoyah Hills) Southgate Road Lane Closure [Extended December 23]** – KUB crews will reduce a section of Southgate Road to one alternating lane of traffic between Scenic Drive and Bluff View Road, from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Friday, December 23, as construction prep work, including saw cutting of asphalt, is performed in this area. The northbound lane will be closed while the southbound lane remains open and is used to alternate traffic. All lanes will reopen outside of listed work hours. Electronic message boards, flaggers, and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control, and local traffic access to driveways will be maintained.

**(Sequoyah Hills) Road Closure- Southgate Road [December 26- January 8]** –KUB crews will close a short section of Southgate Road and the adjacent sidewalk, between Scenic Drive and Bluff View Road, daily, including weekends, from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., starting Monday, December 26, and lasting through Sunday, January 8, as work is performed on the water distribution system in this area. All lanes will reopen outside of listed work hours. Alternate routes include Scenic Drive and Cherokee Boulevard. Electronic message boards, flaggers, and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control, and local traffic access to driveways will be maintained.

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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