

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

January 30, 2017

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) Inskip Road Alternating Lane Closures [January 31] – KUB contract crews will reduce a section of Inskip Road to one alternating lane of traffic, between Cedar Lane and Henrietta Drive, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m., on Tuesday, January 31, as concrete restoration work is performed in the area. Lane closures will alternate between the northbound lane and the southbound lane as work progresses. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control, and Wednesday, February 1, will be used as a rain date if necessary.

(West Knoxville) Lyons Bend Road Lane Closure [February 1 & 2] – KUB crews will reduce a short section of Lyons Bend Road to one alternating lane of traffic from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. on Wednesday, February 1, and Thursday, February 2, as work is performed on the natural gas and water distribution systems in the area. The northbound lane will be closed, while the southbound lane will remain open and be used to alternate traffic flow through the work zone. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control. Work will only be performed on February 2 if 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.

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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