

## TRAFFIC ADVISORY

November 18, 2016

To: Local Media Representatives

From: KUB Communications

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

**(Downtown Knoxville) Neyland Drive Lane Closures [November 20]** – KUB crews will close both eastbound lanes on a short section of Neyland Drive between Joan Cronan Way and Jacob Drive from 6 a.m. - 3 p.m. on Sunday, November 20, as repairs are made to water distribution system in the area. Both eastbound lanes will be closed while both westbound lanes remain open. One westbound lane will be used for eastbound traffic. Flaggers and appropriate signage will be placed on site, and motorists should use caution in the area. Follow-up advisories will be issued as necessary.

**(North Knoxville) I-275 Lane Closure [November 21]** – KUB crews will close a short section of the inside, northbound lane of I-275, between Heiskell Avenue and I-640, from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., on Monday, November 21, as work is performed on the electric distribution system in the area. Crews will be working in the median, and motorists are advised to use caution when traveling in the area. Two northbound lanes and all southbound lanes will remain open during this time. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control.

**(South Knoxville) Island Home Area Intermittent Lane Closures [November 21-December 2]**– Beginning Monday, November 21, and lasting through Friday, December 2, KUB crews will implement intermittent lane closures on the following streets in the Island Home area in order to perform work on the water distribution system:

- **Island Home Avenue**
- **Rugby Avenue**
- **Sevier Avenue**
- **Baker Avenue**
- **Davenport Road**
- **East Moody Avenue**
- **Woodlawn Pike**

Work will occur 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. daily, Monday- Friday, and lane closures will not occur on every street listed above at the same time. Crews will move from location to location as work progresses. All lanes will reopen to traffic outside of listed work hours and on weekends. Flaggers and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control, and local traffic access to driveways will be maintained.

**(Old City) West Fifth Avenue Lane Closure [November 21-23]** – KUB contract crews will close a short section of the inside, eastbound lane of West Fifth Avenue between North Central Street and North Gay Street, daily from 6 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday, November 21, through Wednesday, November 23, as work is performed on the water distribution system in the area. One eastbound and both westbound lanes will remain open during this time. All lanes on West Fifth Avenue will reopen outside of listed work hours, and signs will be on site to assist with traffic control. Please see attached N. Central Avenue Streetscape Project map for more detailed information.

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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# KUB Water Main Replacement Project

City of Knoxville North Central Streetscapes

Lane/Road Closures and Detours




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**For More Information**

- Project blog - <http://majorprojects.blogspot.com>
- Send your e-mail address to [blog@kub.org](mailto:blog@kub.org) to receive updates
- KUB Main Phone Number – 524-2911
- Project hotline – 558-2330 – After normal business hours, leave a message for follow-up next business day by a KUB representative
- Updates on [www.kub.org](http://www.kub.org) (Special Projects Page)

**No Street Parking in Construction Zones**

**Map Legend**

-  Construction Zone (Water Main Replacement)
-  Normal Traffic Flow Routes
-  Southbound N. Central Street Detour Route

**EASTBOUND INSIDE LANE CLOSURE**  
between N. Gay Street and N. Central Street  
November 21-23  
6 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
One eastbound and both westbound lanes to remain open

**SOUTHBOUND LANE CLOSURE**  
Railroad tracks to Fifth Avenue through November 30  
**NORTHBOUND LANE and INTERSECTIONS OPEN**  
Follow Implemented Traffic Control

No turns from Depot Avenue onto southbound North Central Street

Parking lot ingress/egress remains open

