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ROAD CLOSURES AND POSSIBLE TRAFFIC DELAYS

SUFFOLK, VA (January 12, 2012) The following roads in the City of Suffolk will have closures and possible delays today, Thursday, January 12, 2012, due to construction and maintenance projects:

-A contractor will have possible flagger operations with single lane closures in the 4300 to 5200 block of Godwin Boulevard from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. every Tuesday through Friday. The work is expected to be ongoing through March 2012.

-A contractor will have possible shoulder and lane closures in the 3800 block of Bridge Road to conduct construction projects for the Bridge Road Medical Office Complex. This project is expected to be ongoing until March 2012.

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-City of Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a single lane closed on Garfield Avenue between Harrison Street and Pitchkettle Road until 3:00 p.m.

-A contractor will close one lane of the Mills Godwin Bridge to repair duct work under the bridge. The closure will be from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m., Mondays through Thursdays, and 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m., on Fridays. The project is expected to last until January 12, 2012. Once this portion of the work is completed, periodic lane closures may still occur due to ongoing work through February 21, 2012.

-A contractor will close Pinner Street to thru traffic between Bank and Finney Avenue from 7:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., daily through Thursday, January 12. All thru traffic will be detoured to surrounding streets. City, emergency and residential access will be accommodated as needed.

-City of Suffolk Department of Public Works Road Traffic Paint Division will have a flagger setup on Sleepy Hole Road at Kings Highway between 8:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

-City of Suffolk Department of Public Works will have a flagger operation with a single lane closure on Business Holland Road at Kilby Shores Drive from 9:00 a.m. until 12 p.m. for pavement repairs.

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-A contractor will be performing utility work requiring various lane closures on West Washington Street starting the week of January 16, 2012. Work will run from 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. during business days and requiring the closing of the westbound lane and the parking lane of West Washington Street during phase one and the closing of the eastbound lane and parking lane of West Washington Street during phase two. Roadway signage will be displayed to direct traffic detours for the project duration.

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