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Clearing of Median of Dulles Airport Access Highway Accelerating

Drivers and residents along the Dulles International Airport Access Highway – those are the toll-free lanes that carry traffic to and from Washington Dulles International Airport in between the east and westbound lanes of the Dulles Toll Road—are now seeing an increase in construction work from Reston to Tysons Corner.

Crews today began clearing and grading work in the median of the airport access highway from Wiehle Avenue east to Route 7 in Tysons Corner (*please see map on page 2*). The work is being done in preparation for construction of Phase 1 of the Dulles Corridor Metrorail Project. The rail line will be built in this median.

In addition, caisson work at the Wiehle Avenue Metrorail Station, to be built in the airport road median west of Wiehle Avenue, is scheduled to begin in September. These caissons will support the foundations of the at-grade track.

Occasional lane closures on the airport access road may be required as work progresses and future alerts will be issued as needed. Motorists should be alert for changing traffic patterns. Closures are not expected on the Dulles Toll Road.

If you have any construction-related emergencies, please call the Dulles Corridor Metrorail Project Hotline at 877-585-6789.

For further information about the project, please visit our project website at www.dullesmetro.com or call 703-572-0506.

