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Important Lane Closures Sept. 27-Oct. 1, 2010

Overnight Detours for Eastbound Traffic on Dulles Airport Access Highway, Toll Road Set Overnights Sept. 27 - Oct. 2

Starting Monday night, Sept. 27 and continuing through Saturday night, Oct. 2, the eastbound lanes of the Dulles Toll Road (Route 267) and the Dulles International Airport Access Highway will be closed overnights just east of the Capital Beltway (I-495) overpass, forcing traffic to detour to southbound I-495.

Drivers using the Airport Access Highway will be directed on to the Toll Road (Route 267) via the existing slip ramp beginning nightly at 9 p.m. Then at 11 p.m., all eastbound traffic on the Toll Road (including traffic that has been detoured from the Airport Highway to the Toll Road) will be detoured to southbound I-495, to northbound Route 123 toward McLean to eastbound Route 267 toward I-66/Washington D.C.

The closings are necessary because of construction of the aerial bridges that will carry the tracks for the future Dulles Corridor Metrorail Project near Route 123 and Route 267.

All lanes will be reopened by 5 a.m., in time for morning rush hours.

Northbound Route 123 to Eastbound Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) Closing Overnight Sept. 30

The entrance ramp from northbound Route 123 (Dolley Madison Boulevard) to the eastbound Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) toward I-66 east/Washington will be closed overnight Thursday, Sept. 30, from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. because of Dulles Corridor Metrorail Project construction.

To access the eastbound Dulles Connector Road, traffic will be directed to continue north on Route 123, to a left on the Georgetown Pike (Route 193), to the southbound I-495 Capital Beltway toward Tysons Corner, to the exit for eastbound for the Dulles Connector Road.



Nighttime Closures of Westbound I-66 to Continue Oct. 1-2

Overnight closures of westbound I-66 at the Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) split will take place Friday, Oct. 1 and Saturday, Oct. 2, causing significant detours.

The closings will start at midnight and end at 5 a.m. **Please note that the overhead clearance when the road is open is 15 feet.**

When the I-66 westbound lanes close at the Connector Road, through traffic will be detoured to the Dulles Connector Road and west to Route 123 south toward Tysons Corner to the Capital Beltway south toward Richmond. Drivers can then rejoin I-66 from the Beltway. Drivers headed for destinations inside the Beltway in the Falls Church and McLean areas, have options to exit I-66 prior to the detour to the Connector Road.

More Lane Shifts of Route 7 Coming; Expect Heavy Construction

Lane shifts of the westbound lanes of Route 7, between Westpark Drive and the Dulles Toll Road (Route 267) are coming over the next several weeks. The shifts are being done in phases.

Drivers can expect significant lane shifts and closings each night along eastbound Route 7 and adjacent streets as road work is done leading to the shifts. These shifts should be completed by mid-October.

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Weather permitting, the following lane and shoulder closures also are scheduled for the week of Sept. 27, 2010:

I-66 West Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Left thru lane closed

Where: **From Great Falls Street to 400 feet west of the Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) split**

Why: Pier construction in the median

When: Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.

What: Road closed ***(Detour: Use Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) west, exit to Route 123 south toward Tysons Corner, then take I-495 south toward Richmond/Alexandria to rejoin I-66 west)***



Where: **From the Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) to Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**
Why: Straddle bent construction over the roadway
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Local traffic can exit I-66 prior to detour

Dulles Connector Road East (Route 267) Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Wednesday, Sept. 29, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
What: Road closed (***Detour: Exit to southbound I-495, then exit to northbound Route 123 toward McLean, then enter the on-ramp to rejoin the Dulles Connector Road***)

Where: **From I-495 to the Dulles Connector Road**
Why: Straddle bent construction
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: In conjunction with the ramp closure listed below

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 10:30 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

What: Two left thru lanes closed
Where: **From 2,000 feet east of Magarity Road to the Idylwood Road overpass**
Why: Installation of traction power ductbank
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

When: Saturday, Oct. 2, 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
What: Left thru lane closed
Where: From 2,000 feet east of the Magarity Road overpass to the Idylwood Road overpass
Why: Utility work
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: The bus lane/shoulder will be open to traffic to maintain two thru lanes of traffic through the work area

When: Saturday, Oct. 2, 10:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.
What: Two left thru lanes closed
Where: From 2,000 feet east of the Magarity Road overpass to the Idylwood Road overpass
Why: Utility work
Police: Onsite for motorist safety



Dulles International Airport Access Highway (DIAAH) West Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
What: Left thru lane closed
Where: **Between mile markers 6.5 and 6.0**
Why: Storm pipe installation

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 6:00 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.
What: Left thru lane closed
Where: **Between mile markers 7.0 and 6.8**
Why: Concrete pour at the W&OD Trail Bridge
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

Dulles International Airport Access Highway (DIAAH) East Day and Night Work

When: Tuesday, Sept. 28 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 8:00 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.
What: Left thru lane closed
Where: **Between mile markers 9.5 and 9.8**
Why: Barrier relocation
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 8:00 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.
What: Left thru lane closed
Where: **Between mile markers 6.8 and 7.0**
Why: Concrete pour at the W&OD Trail Bridge
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

Dulles Toll Road (Route 267) West Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
What: Ramp narrowing and right thru lane closed
Where: **Between the Wiehle Avenue on-ramp and mile marker 5.5**
Why: Utility work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
What: Right thru lane closed
Where: **Between mile markers 7.7 and 7.1**
Why: Stormwater pond work



Dulles Toll Road (Route 267) East Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 10:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
What: Bus ramp to the DIAAH closed ***(No detour required)***
Where: **For a 1,000-foot stretch east of Hunter Mill Road (between mile markers 7.7 and 7.9)**
Why: Mill and pave ramp
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 10:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
What: Left thru closed
Where: **For a 1,000-foot stretch east of Hunter Mill Road (between mile markers 7.7 and 7.9)**
Why: Support mill and pave work on ramp
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

Ramp Closure: I-495 and Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Wednesday, Sept. 29, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
What: Ramp closed ***(Detour: Continue south on I-495, then exit to northbound Route 123 toward McLean, then enter the on-ramp to rejoin the Dulles Connector Road)***
Where: **Eastbound Dulles Toll Road (Route 267) closed between I-495 and Route 123**
Why: Straddle bent construction
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Supports full closure of the Dulles Connector Road (listed above)

Ramp Closure: Route 123 and Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) Night Work

When: Thursday, Sept. 30, 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
What: Ramp closed ***(Detour: Follow northbound Route 123, turn left on Route 193 (Georgetown Pike), enter southbound I-495 toward Tysons Corner, then exit to Route 267 eastbound)***
Where: **On-ramp from northbound Route 123 (Dolley Madison Boulevard) to Eastbound Dulles Toll Road (Route 267) closed**
Why: Open cut casing
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

Ramp Work: DIAAH to Leesburg Pike (Route 7) Night Work



When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 10:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
What: Ramp narrowed (*No detour required*)
Where: **Ramp from the eastbound Dulles International Airport Access Highway (DIAAH) to the exit ramp to Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**
Why: Mill and pave ramp
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Right thru lane on the eastbound DIAAH also closed

Dolley Madison Boulevard (Route 123) North Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 10:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.
What: Right thru lane closed
Where: **From Anderson Road to the Dulles Connector Road (Route 123)**
Why: Straddle bent and pier construction
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

F-773 Frontage Road East and West Day and Night Work

When: Sunday, Sept. 26, 9:30 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon and 9:30 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.
What: Flagging operation
Where: **For a 400-foot stretch east of the Leesburg Pike (Route 7) intersection**
Why: Curb, gutter, drainage installation
Police: Onsite for motorist safety for night work only

Gosnell Road North Night Work

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.
What: Right thru lane closed
Where: **From 200 feet south of the Leesburg Pike (Route 7) intersection to 500 feet north of the intersection (on Westpark Drive)**
Why: Demolition, drainage and paving



Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: End times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 2:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Left thru lane closed

Where: **From 500 feet south of the Leesburg Pike (Route 7) intersection to 500 feet north of the intersection (on Westpark Drive)**

Why: Demolition, drainage and paving

Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Start times are estimate

Leesburg Pike (Route 7) West Day and Night Work

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 10:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 10:30 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.
Saturday, Oct. 2, 10:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m.

What: Right and center thru lanes and right-turn lane to Spring Hill Road closed (***Detour: Continue on westbound Route 7, U-turn at Westwood Center Drive, then turn left on to northbound Spring Hill Road***)

Where: **From 400 feet east of Spring Hill Road to 400 feet west of Tyco Road**

Why: Various lane shift work (paving, signal work, etc.)

Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: End times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 4:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m.
Saturday, Oct. 2, 4:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Left and center thru lanes and two left-turn lanes to Westwood Center Drive closed (***Detour: Right on Spring Hill Road, left on Tyco Road, then cross Route 7 to access Westwood Center Drive***)

Where: **From 400 feet east of Spring Hill Road to 400 feet west of Tyco Road**

Why: Various lane shift work (paving, signal work, etc.)

Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Start times are estimate

When: Monday, Sept. 27, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
What: Right thru lane closed



Where: **From 500 feet east of the Route 123 overpass to 200 feet west of the overpass**
Why: Pile installation

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Right thru lane and right-turn lane closed

Where: **From Westpark Drive to the west side of Spring Hill Road**

Why: Demolition, drainage, curbing, paving

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.

What: Right turn lane closed

Where: **For a 250-foot stretch east of Spring Hill Road**

Why: Drainage, grading, barrier installation, paving tie-ins, signal work

Police: Onsite for motorist safety

When: Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.

Friday, Oct. 1, 4:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Saturday, Oct. 2, 4:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Left and center thru lanes and left-turn lane to Gosnell Road closed (***Detour: Continue westbound on Route 7, turn right on Spring Hill Road, right on Greensboro Drive, then right on Westpark Drive which turns into Gosnell Road***)

Where: **From the base of the ramp from southbound Chain Bridge Road (Route 123) to 400 feet west of the Westpark Drive intersection**

Why: Lane shifts and associated work

Police: Onsite for motorist safety

Note: Start times are estimated

Leesburg Pike (Route 7) East Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Right thru lane closed

Where: **From Westwood Center Drive to 1,000 feet east of Spring Hill Road**

Why: Punchlist items, drainage installation, asphalt sidewalks

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.

What: Rightmost left-turn lane closed

Where: **At Westpark Drive**



Why: Support Westpark Drive closures
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: End times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 2:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Leftmost left-turn lane closed

Where: **At Westpark Drive**

Why: Support Westpark Drive closures
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Start times are estimate

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Rightmost left-turn lane closed

Where: **At Spring Hill Road**

Why: Support Spring Hill Road closures
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.

What: Rightmost left-turn lane closed

Where: **At Spring Hill Road**

Why: Support Spring Hill Road closures
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: End times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 2:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Leftmost left-turn lane closed

Where: **At Spring Hill Road**

Why: Support Spring Hill Road closures
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Start times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 p.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Right thru lane closed

Where: **Between the off-ramps from the Dulles Connector Road (Route 267)**



Why: Barrier setting, test pits for sign and signal work
Police: Onsite for motorist safety

Spring Hill Road North Day and Night Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Left turn lane closed

Where: **A 300-foot stretch south of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**

Why: Tie-in work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Right thru lane closed

Where: **A 400-foot stretch north of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**

Why: Drainage, grading, barrier installation, paving tie-ins, signal work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon

What: Right thru lane closed

Where: **A 300-foot stretch south of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**

Why: Tie-in curb

Spring Hill Road South Day and Night Work

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.

What: Right turn lane closed

Where: **A 300-foot stretch north of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**

Why: Drainage, grading, barrier installation, paving tie-ins, signal work

Police: Onsite for motorist safety for night work only

Note: Turns will be permitted at intersection; end times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 2:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

What: Left turn lane closed

Where: **A 400-foot stretch north of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**

Why: Drainage, grading, barrier installation, paving tie-ins, signal work



Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Turns will be permitted at intersection; start times are estimate
When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to noon
What: Right turn lane closed
Where: **A 300-foot stretch north of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**
Why: Drainage, grading, barrier installation, paving tie-ins, signal work
Note: Turns will be permitted at intersection

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.
What: Right thru lane closed
Where: **A 300-foot stretch south of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**
Why: Curb tie-ins
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: End times are estimate

When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 2:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
What: Left thru lane closed
Where: **A 400-foot stretch north of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**
Why: Curb tie-ins
Police: Onsite for motorist safety
Note: Start times are estimate

Sunset Hills Road South Day Work

When: Monday, Sept. 27 – Friday, Oct. 1, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
What: Single lane closure; flagger operation in place
Where: **From 1,400 and 2,100 feet east of the W&OD Trail**
Why: Flagger operation

Tyco Road North Day Work

When: Friday, Oct. 1, 11:00 a.m. to noon
What: Right thru lane closed
Where: **For a 200-foot stretch north of Leesburg Pike (Route 7)**
Why: Punchlist items



Westwood Center Drive North Day and Night Work

- When: Sunday, Sept. 26 – Thursday, Sept. 30, 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 1 – Saturday, Oct. 2, 2:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
- What: Center thru lane closed ***(No detour required; use turn lane for thru traffic)***
- Where: **For a 300-foot stretch on both sides of the Leesburg Pike intersection**
- Why: Drainage installation, barrier installation, paving tie-ins, signal work
- Police: Onsite for motorist safety
- Note: Thru traffic will be permitted at intersection; start times are estimated

Access to all businesses in the construction areas along Routes 7 and 123 will be maintained throughout the work periods. Also, any additional lane closures on the Dulles International Airport Access Highway (DIAAH) and Dulles Toll Road should be expected at any time.

Motorists should stay alert, use extreme caution, and be prepared to allow extra time or alter their travel along these roads.

A 24/7 emergency hotline is available for utility construction related issues: 877-585-6789. For general project information: www.dullesmetro.com or 703-572-0506.