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URGENT: I-66 West to Close Tonight at Dulles Connector Road at midnight

I-66 westbound at the Dulles Connector Road (Route 267) will be closed overnight tonight, Tuesday, Sept. 28, for Dulles Metrorail Project construction, weather permitting.

The closing will begin at midnight. The lanes will be reopened by 5 a.m. This work was planned for last weekend but was delayed. Drivers bound for destinations along I-66 west of Arlington will be affected.

Through traffic will be detoured on to the Dulles Connector Road westbound, then to Route 123 south toward Tysons Corner, to a right turn on to the ramp to the Capital Beltway south toward Richmond. Drivers can then rejoin I-66 from the Beltway.

Drivers bound for destinations inside the Capital Beltway may find alternate routes via other local westbound roads by exiting I-66 prior to the I-66/Dulles Connector Road split. For example, traffic bound for the Falls Church City/Broad Street and Idylwood areas can exit before the detour and use Route 29/Washington Street to connect with Broad Street (Route 7 west).

Additional closures in this location are planned for overnights Friday, Oct. 1, and Saturday, Oct. 2.

To report construction-related emergencies, please call the project's HOTLINE at 877-585-6789.