



# TRAFFIC ALERT

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## **VDOT HOT SPOTS IN THE FREDERICKSBURG DISTRICT**

*Nov. 6 – Nov. 12, 2016*

### **Stafford County**

#### **Interstate 95 Northbound and Southbound near Exit 133 (Route 17/Falmouth)**

**(New) Wednesday**, 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Drivers can expect brief, intermittent delays between mile marker 132 which is near Exit 133 (Route 17/Falmouth) and mile marker 134. Crews will have a mobile work zone and will close the right lane, along with the shoulder, to inspect signs between the two mile markers.

#### **Interstate 95 Northbound at Exit 140 (Route 630/Stafford)**

**(New) Wednesday**, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Drivers can expect brief, intermittent delays between mile marker 139, which is near Exit 140 (Route 630/Courthouse Road) and Exit 143 (Route 610/Garrisonville), with the right lane and shoulder closed for a mobile work zone. Crews will be inspecting signs in this stretch of interstate.

#### **Route 1 (Jefferson Davis Highway) at Butler Road**

**(New) Monday**, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Crews will be out inspecting signs between Butler Road and the Falmouth Bridge in both the northbound and southbound lanes with intermittent lane closures. Drivers can expect brief delays with this mobile work zone.

#### **Route 17 (Warrenton Road) at Sanford Drive**

**(New) Wednesday**, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Crews will inspect signs on Route 17 (Warrenton Road) between Sanford Drive and Olde Forge Drive, near the I-95 interchange. Drivers can expect brief delays with a mobile closure of the right lane and shoulder of Route 17. Crews will work on the eastbound side first before moving to the westbound side, heading toward Warrenton.

#### **Route 631 (Bells Hill Road) near Route 1 (Jefferson Davis Highway)**

**(New) Thursday -- Friday**, 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. Traffic will be alternating and down to one lane on Route 631 (Bells Hill Road) from the intersection of Route 1 (Jefferson Davis Highway) to Cork Street. Drivers can expect brief delays as flaggers direct traffic through the work zone. Crews will be digging trenches in this area.

#### **Route 1 at Route 610 (Garrisonville Road)**

**(Update) Monday**, 10 p.m. – 4 a.m. Crews will be cutting loops in the pavement for the new traffic signals at the intersection of Route 1 and Route 610 (Garrisonville Road). Motorists should expect intermittent lane closures at the intersection.

### **Route 17 at Deep Run Creek**

**(Update) Sunday – Saturday.** Motorists will be restricted to one lane in each direction on Route 17 at the bridge over Deep Run Creek while crews paint the structural steel on the bridge. Flaggers will direct traffic in the work zone. Crews will work 24-hours a day.

### **Route 1001 at Falls Run**

**(Update) Sunday – Saturday.** Motorists will be restricted to one lane on Route 1001 (Melcher Drive) at the bridge over Falls Run while crews paint the structural steel on the bridge. Flaggers will direct traffic in the work zone. Crews will work 24-hours a day.

### **Route 610 (Garrisonville Road) Intersection Improvement Project**

**Sunday – Thursday**, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. and 8 p.m. – 5 a.m. One lane will be closed intermittently on Route 610 eastbound and westbound at Onville Road in this work zone from daylight to dusk, and again during overnight hours. Crews are placing sewer lines for the Route 610/Onville Road intersection improvement project.

### **Routine Maintenance**

**Monday – Thursday**, 6 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Stay alert for mobile lane closures. Crews will perform routine maintenance activities at the following locations:

- **Route 3 (Kings Highway)** – shoulder work, patching
- **Route 1 (Jefferson Davis Highway) at Centreport Parkway** – preparation work to add a new, right turn lane at the intersection of Centreport Parkway and northbound Route 1.
- **Route 603 (Caisson Road)** – mowing
- **Route 602 (Newton Road)** – mowing
- **Route 655 (Holly Corner Road)** – shoulder work
- **Route 616 (Poplar Road)** – mowing
- **Route 752 (Richards Ferry Road)** – mowing
- **Route 611 (Widewater Road)** – mowing
- **Route 643 (Joshua Road)** – mowing
- **Route 1395 (Greenridge Drive)** – tree trimming

## **City of Fredericksburg**

### **Route 1**

**(New) Sunday and Monday**, 10 p.m. – 6 a.m. One lane will be closed on Route 1 southbound between the Rappahannock Canal and Alvey Drive for storm sewer and waterline installation. Motorists should expect brief delays in the work zone.

### **Mary Washington Boulevard**

**Monday – Thursday**, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. and **Friday**, 9 a.m. – noon. Motorists should expect intermittent lane closures on Mary Washington Boulevard between Hospital Drive and Sam Perry Boulevard for construction activity. Flaggers will direct motorists through the work zone.

### **Fall Hill Avenue**

**Monday – Thursday**, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. and **Friday**, 9 a.m. – noon. Motorists should expect intermittent lane closures on Fall Hill Avenue between Carl D. Silver Parkway and the Rappahannock Canal for construction activity. Flaggers will direct motorists through the work zone.

## **Spotsylvania County**

### **Interstate 95**

**Monday – Thursday**, 9:30 – 3:30 p.m. and **Friday**, 10 p.m. – 4 a.m. **Saturday morning**. Bridge rehabilitation work will begin on the I-95 bridge over the Ni River located at mile marker 121, south of Exit 126 (Spotsylvania). The right shoulder on I-95 northbound and southbound will be closed in the work zone. All travel lanes will remain open.

### **Route 620 (Harrison Road)**

**(New) Wednesday**, 9 a.m. – noon. Traffic switch on Harrison Road west of Route 1, between Pine Needle Court and west of Graningers Circle. Motorists should follow direction from flagging crew to navigate work zone. Brief stop of 5-10 minutes may be required to complete pavement markings. Traffic is shifting to allow construction to continue widening Harrison Road to four lanes between Route 1 and just west of Graningers Circle.

### **Route 620 (Harrison Road)**

**Monday – Thursday**, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. and **Friday**, 9 a.m.– noon. Motorists should expect intermittent flagging and single lane closures on Route 620 (Harrison Road). Motorists may periodically encounter brief delays in the overnight hours in this work zone. This work is in connection with the Route 1 and Harrison Road intersection improvement project.

### **Spotsylvania Avenue at Mine Road**

On Sunday and Monday night from 7 p.m. – 6 a.m. motorists should expect intermittent single lane closures in the vicinity of the Mine Road/Spotsylvania Avenue intersection for signal work. In addition, motorists should be alert to construction crews and equipment in this area Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 2:15 p.m. The work is in connection with the Route 1 and Harrison Road intersection improvement project.

### **Routine Maintenance**

**Monday – Thursday**, 6 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Stay alert for mobile lane closures. Crews will perform routine maintenance activities at the following locations:

- **Route 522 (Zachary Taylor Highway)** – shoulder work, patching
- **Route 608 (Benchmark Road)** – patching
- **Route 610 (Old Plank Road)** – mowing
- **Route 612 (Catharpin Road)** – mowing
- **Route 643 (Williams Lane)** – Rural Rustic prep work
- **Route 654 (Windway Drive)** – brush cutting
- **Route 723 (Dovey Road)** – machine roadway

## Caroline County

### **Route 721 (Sparta Road) Bridge Work**

**(New)** On Wednesday, Nov. 9 beginning at 9 a.m., Route 721 (Sparta Road) will be closed to through traffic at the Maracossic Creek bridge for approximately four weeks, weather permitting. VDOT crews are upgrading the bridge with new steel beams, new timber, and guardrail. The bridge is located near Route 640 (Maracossic Drive) and Route 645 (Pendleton Road.) Signs and message boards are posted along the recommended detour route.

### **Routine Maintenance**

**Monday – Thursday, 6 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.** Stay alert for mobile lane closures. Crews will perform routine maintenance activities at the following locations:

- **Route 17 (Tidewater Trail)** – ditching
- **Route 301 (AP Hill Boulevard)** – tree trimming
- **Route 638 (South River Road)** – pipe replacement
- **Route 614 (Ware Greek Road)** – brush cutting
- **Route 600 (Frog Level Road)** – brush cutting
- **Route 610 (Pepmier Hill Road)** – tree trimming
- **Route 658 (Jericho Road)** – ditching
- **Route 689 (Oxford Road)** – ditching
- **Route 669 (Trivette Road)** – brush cutting

## King George County

### **Route 207 at Polecat Creek**

**(Update) Sunday – Saturday.** Motorists will be restricted to one lane on Route 207 at the bridge over Polecat Creek while crews paint the structural steel on the bridge. Flaggers will direct traffic in the work zone. Crews will work 24-hours a day.

### **Route 218**

**(Update) Sunday – Saturday.** Motorists will be restricted to one lane on Route 218 at the bridge over the RF&P railroad while crews paint the structural steel on the bridge. Flaggers will direct traffic in the work zone. Crews will work 24-hours a day.

## Essex County

### **Route 360 Paving**

**(New) Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.** Crews will begin milling, paving, line striping and adding shoulder stone to a 2.4 mile stretch of Route 360 from the end of the Piscataway Creek bridge to Route 17 (Tidewater Trail.) Expect delays in the work zone.

### **Route 360 at Piscataway Creek**

**(Update) Sunday – Saturday.** Motorists will be restricted to one lane on Route 360 at the bridge over Piscataway Creek while crews paint the structural steel on the bridge. Flaggers will direct traffic in the work zone. Crews will work 24-hours a day.

## King William County

### **Route 30 Paving**

**(Update)** Crews will continue milling, paving, trenching and placing snow plowable markers on Route 30 at the following locations for the next week. Be alert and expect brief delays in the work zone from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

- **Monday – Friday**  
From the Caroline County line to Route 610 (Enfield Road)
- **Monday – Saturday**  
From Route 620 (Black Gum Road) to Route 702 (Industrial Parkway)

### **Route 613**

**(Update)** **Wednesday – Saturday**, 7 a.m.– 7 p.m. Crews will continue to pave a one mile stretch of Route 613 (Dunluce Road) near Route 618 (Acquinton Church Road.)

## **Gloucester County**

### **Route 198**

**(New)** Motorists should be alert to a mobile line striping operation on Route 198 (Dutton Road) from just east of Route 601 (Pampa Road) to Route 673 (Freeport Road.) Expect brief delays for this slow moving, mobile work zone.

### **Route 14**

**(Update)** **Thursday – Friday, Monday – Tuesday** 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Motorists should be prepared for brief delays on Route 14 from the King and Queen County line to Route 17 (start of divided median) as crews place shoulder stone.

## **King & Queen County**

### **Route 14**

**(New)** **Monday – Tuesday**, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Motorists should be alert on Route 14 (The Trail) between Route 33 (Lewis Puller Memorial Highway) to the King & Queen/Gloucester County line as crews place shoulder stone approximately five miles.

## **Lancaster County**

### **Route 200 at Carters Creek**

**(Update)** **Sunday – Saturday**. Motorists will be restricted to one lane on Route 200 at the bridge over Carters Creek while crews paint the structural steel on the bridge. Flaggers will direct traffic in the work zone. Crews will work 24-hours a day.

## **Highway Improvement Projects**

### **City of Fredericksburg**

### **Fall Hill Avenue Widening and I-95 Overpass Replacement Project**

Construction is underway on the Fall Hill Avenue widening and I-95 overpass replacement project. Motorists should expect lane closures and brief delays on Fall Hill Avenue between the Rappahannock Canal bridge and Carl D. Silver Parkway (Central Park), as well as on Mary Washington Boulevard. Project completion is January 2017.

## **Stafford County**

### **95 Express Lanes Southern Terminus Extension**

Construction is underway to extend 95 Express Lanes in Stafford County. The approximate [2.5 mile extension](#) will carry traffic beyond the flyover ramp where 95 Express Lanes currently end, just north of Exit 143/Route 610 (Garrisonville Road). The new southbound exit ramp is scheduled to open by early 2018, and the northbound entrance ramp will open in summer 2018.

### **Route 610/Onville Road Intersection Improvement Project**

Construction is underway at the intersection of Route 610 (Garrisonville Road) and Route 641 (Onville Road) to build additional turn lanes. Traffic has been reduced to one lane in each direction on Onville Road. Project completion is May 2017.

### **Route 609 (Raven Road)**

Route 609 (Raven Road) is closed to through traffic for a bridge replacement project over Accokeek Creek. Raven Road is closed near the eastern intersection with Route 608 (Brooke Road). A detour around the bridge project will remain in place until late November, weather permitting. Motorists should follow posted detour signs along Raven Road and Brooke Road.

### **Route 1 and Garrisonville Road Turn Lane Project**

Stafford County is locally administering a project to add a second right turn lane from Route 1 southbound to westbound Route 610 (Garrisonville Road). New traffic signal equipment will also be installed at the intersection. Drivers may encounter lane closures during off-peak and overnight hours.

## **Spotsylvania County**

### **Spotsylvania Avenue and Mine Road Intersection Improvement Project**

Construction is underway at the intersection of Spotsylvania Avenue and Mine Road for an intersection improvement project. Crews will be adding turn lanes, adjusting the existing traffic signal and renovating the sidewalk and median on Spotsylvania Avenue. Motorists should expect brief delays during daytime hours. Extended lane closures will take place during overnight hours. Motorists should expect periodic delays on Mine Road at the intersection. Project completion is mid-November 2016.

### **Route 1 and Route 620 (Harrison Road)**

Construction to build additional turn lanes and extend existing turn lanes is underway at the intersection of Route 1 and Harrison Road in Spotsylvania County. Motorists should be alert for construction crews and equipment. Project completion is May 2018.

## **Caroline County/King George County**

### **Route 301 at Rappahannock River**

Bridge rehabilitation is underway on the James Madison Memorial Bridge over the Rappahannock River. Maintenance will occur below the bridge deck and includes repairing concrete, replacing bearings, shoring up rip-rap on the slope, and replacing navigation lights. All lanes are currently open on the bridge, but single lane will be in place periodically. Project completion is October 2017.

### **Caroline County/King and Queen County**

#### **Route 721 (Newtown Road)**

Construction is underway to build a new bridge over Beverly Creek at the Caroline County and King and Queen County line. Motorists will be restricted to a single lane controlled by a temporary traffic signal in the work zone. The project is expected to be complete in July 2017.