



TRAFFIC ALERT

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VDOT HOT SPOTS IN THE FREDERICKSBURG DISTRICT

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All work is scheduled weather permitting. Real-time information on work zones and lane closures is available on [511Virginia](#)

I-95 Northbound

Exit 130 (Route 3) Exit Ramp

Tuesday – Wednesday, 9 p.m. – 5 a.m. and **Friday – Saturday**, 10 p.m. – 5 a.m. Milling and paving. Traffic exiting I-95 northbound to Route 3 eastbound will be detoured to Route 3 westbound then U-turn at Carl D. Silver Parkway to access Route 3 eastbound.

Exit 133 (Route 17) to Exit 136 (Centreport Parkway)

Monday – Friday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Single lane closures at various locations between these interchanges for construction activities as part of the [I-95 Southbound Rappahannock River Crossing project](#) and the [95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension](#) project.

Exit 133 (Route 17) to Exit 136 (Centreport Parkway) MEDIAN DIVERSION

Monday – Tuesday, 9 p.m. – 4:30 a.m. Alternating single lane closures on I-95 northbound for 95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension project.

Tuesday – Wednesday, 9 p.m. – 4:30 a.m. A single lane will close on I-95 northbound at 9 p.m. followed by double lane closures at 10 p.m. All lanes will reopen by 4:30 a.m.

Wednesday – Thursday, 9 p.m. – 4:30 a.m. A single lane will close on I-95 northbound at 9 p.m. followed by double lane closures at 10 p.m. All lanes will reopen by 4:30 a.m.

Thursday – Friday, 8 p.m. – 4:30 a.m. Single lane closure at 8 p.m. Starting at 9 p.m., I-95 northbound will be reduced to one lane. Virginia State Police will slow roll traffic then shift a single lane of northbound traffic to the median through the work zone. Motorists will then return to the travel lanes. All lanes will reopen by 4:30 a.m. Crews need to divert northbound traffic to the median to lift the bridge beams for the future Truslow Road bridge.

Friday – Saturday, 9 p.m. – 4:30 a.m. Single lane closure at 9 p.m. Starting at 10 p.m., I-95 northbound will be reduced to one lane. Virginia State Police will slow roll traffic then shift a single lane of northbound traffic to the median through the work zone. Motorists will then return to the travel lanes before Exit 136. All lanes will reopen by 4:30 a.m. Crews need to divert northbound traffic to the median to lift the bridge beams for the future Truslow Road bridge.

I-95 Southbound

Exit 136 (Centreport Parkway) to Exit 133 (Route 17) FULL TRAFFIC STOPS

Monday – Tuesday, 9 p.m. – 10 a.m. A single lane will close on I-95 southbound at 9 p.m. followed by double lane closures at 10 p.m. Starting at midnight until 3 a.m., all I-95 southbound traffic will be stopped intermittently up to 30 minutes at a time. Two lanes will open at 4:30 a.m. and a single lane will remain closed until 10 a.m. to allow crews to move a crane to prepare for the bridge beam lifts for the future Truslow Road bridge. Virginia State Police will assist with traffic control. Expect overnight delays.

Exit 136 (Centreport Parkway) to Exit 133 (Route 17)

Monday – Thursday, 9 p.m. – 10 a.m. Single lane closure. Crews will be installing an overhead sign as part of the [I-95 Southbound Rappahannock River Crossing](#) project.

Exit 130 (Route 3) Entrance Ramp

Tuesday – Wednesday, 9 p.m. – 5 a.m. and Friday – Saturday, 10 p.m. – 5 a.m. Single lane closures on the Route 3 eastbound entrance ramp to I-95 southbound with milling and paving operations.

Stafford County

Route 1 Northbound

Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Single right lane closure on Route 1 northbound between Centreport Parkway and Potomac Creek Lane for the [bridge replacement project](#).

Route 17 Southbound

Tuesday – Thursday, 8 p.m. – 7 a.m. Single lane closure on Route 17 southbound between Sanford Drive and Short Street for paving work as part of the [I-95 Southbound Rappahannock River Crossing](#) project.

Route 218 (White Oak Road)

Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. and 7 p.m. – 6 a.m. Milling and paving. Expect travel delays. One-way, alternating traffic on White Oak Road directed by a flagging crew between Route 606 (Ferry Road) and Route 607 (Cool Spring Road/Deacon Road). Motorists may experience a temporary rough driving surface on the milled sections.

Route 607 (Cool Springs Road and Deacon Road)

Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m. and 7 p.m. – 6 a.m. Milling and paving. Expect travel delays. Alternating, single lane closures on Cool Springs Road and Deacon Road between Route 3 Business and Brooke Road. Motorists may experience a temporary rough driving surface on the milled sections.

Route 630 (Courthouse Road) Westbound

Thursday – Friday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Alternating, single lane closures on Courthouse Road from Hospital Center Boulevard to Dent Road for permit work.

Hospital Center Boulevard

Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. and **Friday**, 9:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Single lane closures on Hospital Center Boulevard between Route 1 and Austin Ridge Drive. Crews will be taking soil samples as part of the 95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension.

Old Courthouse Road

Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. and **Friday**, 9:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Single lane closures on Old Courthouse Road between Route 1 and Hospital Center Boulevard. Crews will be taking soil samples as part of the 95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension.

Wyche Road

Monday – Thursday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. and **Friday**, 9:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. Single lane and turn lane closures on Wyche Road at the Hospital Center Boulevard and

Courthouse Road intersection. Crews will be taking soil samples as part of the 95 Express Lanes Fredericksburg Extension.

City of Fredericksburg

Route 3 Eastbound

Sunday – Thursday, 9 p.m. – 5 a.m. and **Friday - Sunday**, 10 p.m. – 9 a.m.
Alternating, single lane closures with a mobile work zone for milling and paving. Crews will begin on Route 3 eastbound at Bragg Road in Spotsylvania County then progress east to Gateway Boulevard. Drivers may experience a temporary rough driving surface and overnight delays.

Spotsylvania County

Route 3 Eastbound

Sunday – Thursday, 9 p.m. – 5 a.m. and **Friday - Sunday**, 10 p.m. – 9 a.m.
Crews will begin milling and paving on Route 3 eastbound at Bragg Road then progress east to Gateway Boulevard. Drivers may experience a temporary rough driving surface and overnight delays with single lane closures within the mobile work zone.

Route 612 (Stubbs Bridge Road)

Sunday – Thursday, 7 p.m. – 7 a.m. Alternating single lane closure for repairs to the bridge over Lake Anna.

Caroline County

Route 207 (Rogers Clark Boulevard): New Speed Limit Postings

Monday. Crews will install new 60 mph speed limits signs at two locations currently posted with 55 mph speed limit zones. This change will result in a continuous 60 mph speed limit zone on Route 207 eastbound and westbound from just east of Route 652 (Cool Water Drive) to just west of Route 207 Business (West Broaddus Avenue).

Surface Treatment

Tuesday – Wednesday, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. Single lane closures on Route 669 (Sizer Road) and Route 689 (Oxford Road) for surface treatment. A flagging crew will alternate one-way traffic in some areas with the mobile operation.

Gloucester County

Route 3/14 Northbound and Southbound

Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Single lane closure on Route 3/14 northbound and southbound between Warehouse Road and the Main Street intersection. Crews will be working on sidewalk and median construction as part of the [intersection improvement project](#) underway through February 2021.

Route 17 Business (Main Street)

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Alternating lane closures at the Main Street and Route 629 (T C Walker Road) intersection for traffic signal work. A flagging crew will direct drivers through the intersection. Crews are installing flashing advance warning lights and signs. Signs will read "Vehicles Entering Highway."

King George County

Route 218 (Caledon Road)

Wednesday, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Single lane closure near Vertical Ridge Drive for guardrail installation. One-way, alternating traffic.

Route 301

Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Single lane closures on Route 301 near Owens Drive and Bennion Road for an [intersection improvement project](#). Located near Gate B entrance to Naval Support Activity South Potomac at Dahlgren.

King William County

Surface Treatment

Monday – Tuesday, 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. Alternating lane closures or one-way, alternating traffic on the following routes for surface treatment.

- Route 622 (Hills Fork Road)
- Route 645 (Moorefield Road)

Mathews County

Route 14 and Route 198

Tuesday – Wednesday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Mobile single lane closures for application of pavement markings on Route 14 between Tabernacle Road and the Route 14/Route 198 intersection, and on Route 198 between Route 223 (Cricket Hill Road) and the Route 14 intersection.

Route 611 (Church Street)

Tuesday – Wednesday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Mobile single lane closures for application of pavement markings between Main Street and Route 621 (Glebe Road).

Middlesex County

Pavement Marking

Monday – Friday, 7 p.m. – 6 a.m. Motorists should anticipate a mobile operation with lane closures on various routes in Middlesex County for pavement markings. Expect slow-moving construction equipment and delays near these mobile work zones. Avoid crossing over freshly painted lines. The paint will be wet and may adhere to vehicle. A flagging crew may direct drivers near the mobile work zone.

- Route 17 northbound and southbound
- Route 33 eastbound and westbound
- Route 227 (Urbanna Road)
- Route 610 (Burchs Mill Road)
- Route 616 (Town Bridge Road)
- Route 618 (Oakes Landing Road)
- Route 626 (Wake Road)
- Route 631 (Providence Road)
- Route 636 (Timberneck Road)
- Route 640 (Water View Road)
- Route 674 (Bowden Street)
- Route 707 (Grafton Church Road)
- T1003
- T1009

Westmoreland County

Pavement Marking

Monday – Friday, 7 p.m. – 6 a.m. Motorists should anticipate a mobile operation with lane closures on various routes in Westmoreland County for pavement markings. Expect slow-moving construction equipment and delays near these mobile work zones. Avoid crossing over freshly painted lines. The paint will be wet and may adhere to vehicle. A flagging crew may direct drivers near the mobile work zone.

- Route 3 (Kings Highway)
- Route 203 (Oldhams Road)
- Route 205 (James Monroe Highway)
- Route 205 (Colonial Avenue)
- Route 600 (Neenah Road)
- Route 604 (Sandy Point Road)

- Route 606 (Tuckers Mill Road)
- Route 607 (Kinsale Bridge Road)
- Route 608 (White Point Road)
- Route 611 (Zion Church Road)
- Route 612 (Nomini Hall Road)
- Route 617 (Gardys Mill Road)
- Route 628 (Stoney Knoll Road)

Additional Construction Projects in Fredericksburg District

Caroline County

Route 207 Southbound Bridge Replacement

Route 207 is reduced to a single northbound and southbound lane at the bridge over the Mattaponi River. Traffic is traveling in the northbound lanes while the southbound bridge is closed for a replacement project. The new southbound bridge is anticipated to open to traffic in July 2021, with all construction complete by September 2021.

Essex County

Route 620 (Dunbrooke Road)

Route 620 (Dunbrooke Road) is closed over Piscataway Creek for a bridge replacement project. The bridge is located between Route 642 (Purkins Road) and Route 622 (Latanes Mill Road). Detour signs are posted along the recommended 9-mile detour route. The road will remain closed until its anticipated completion date in November 2020.

City of Fredericksburg

Route 3 Business at Chatham Bridge

The Chatham Bridge is closed to traffic for an [improvement project](#). Drivers should follow the posted detour signs directing traffic around the bridge closure. The bridge will reopen to traffic in October 2021, and all construction work will be complete by April 2022.

Gloucester County

Route 3/14 and Route 17 Business (Main Street) Intersection Improvement

Construction began Wednesday, Sept. 9, on a project to reduce driver delay and improve pedestrian access at the intersection. After construction, Route 17 Business traffic will have dual left turn lanes and dual right turn lanes when turning

onto Route 3/14. On Route 3/14, the traffic pattern approaching Route 17 Business will change to allow for dual left turns southbound. One of the left turn lanes will become a shared lane, and will allow traffic to turn left, proceed straight across, or turn right. New sidewalks with handicapped-accessible ramps, crosswalks, and traffic signal equipment for pedestrian crossings will be installed. Project estimated completion is February 2021.

Pedestrian Improvements on Route 17 Southbound at Gloucester Point

Construction is underway on a project to build sidewalk and crosswalks along Route 17 southbound between Lafayette Heights Drive and Bellehaven Drive. Motorists should be alert for construction along the shoulder during daytime hours on weekdays and periodic single lane closures. Project estimated completion is January 2021.

Pedestrian Improvements at Route 17 and Route 17 Business (Main Street)

Construction is underway on a project to build sidewalk, crosswalks, pedestrian refuge islands, and new pedestrian crossing equipment at the northern intersection of Route 17 and Route 17 Business, and at Route 17 and McFadden Way. Motorists should be alert for construction during daytime hours on weekdays, as well as for periodic single lane closures and temporary traffic pattern changes. Project estimated completion is January 2021.

Gloucester County and Middlesex County

Route 17 Southbound over Dragon Run

Route 17 southbound is reduced to a single lane for a bridge rehabilitation project over Dragon Run. The bridge is located at the county line between Gloucester County and Middlesex County. Project estimated completion is August 2021.

King George County

Route 301 at Bennion Road and Owens Drive

Construction began June 1 to lengthen several turn lanes on Route 301 in King George County at the intersection with one of the entrances to the Naval Support Activity South Potomac at Dahlgren. The project will be finished in November 2020.

King and Queen County

Route 617 (Exol Road)

Route 617 (Exol Road) is closed to traffic at the bridge over Exol Swamp while crews replace the structurally deficient bridge. Detour signs are posted along the 8-mile detour around the closure. The bridge will remain closed until November 2020. Click [here](#) for the recommended detour route.

King William County

Route 30 and Route 360 Intersection Improvement

Construction is underway to improve the intersection of Route 30 and Route 360. The project will build dedicated right and left turn lanes and through lanes for eastbound Route 30, and will modify turn lanes on Route 360. A sidewalk will be built along Route 30 to allow pedestrians to cross Route 360. The project will be completed in June 2021.

Route 662 (Sharon Road)

A portion of Sharon Road is closed for reconstruction following damage from Tropical Storm Michael. A project to reconstruct a slope and replace a culvert will be advertised to potential bidders in summer 2020. The road is anticipated to reopen to traffic by the end of 2020.

Stafford County

Route 1 at Potomac Creek

Construction began June 1 on a project to replace the Route 1 bridge over Potomac Creek in Stafford County. Route 1 will continue to have four travel lanes open during the project, with only periodic single lane closures required. The new bridge will be complete in July 2022.

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VDOT's 14-county Fredericksburg District includes the counties of Caroline, King George, Spotsylvania and Stafford in the Fredericksburg area; Northumberland, Richmond, Lancaster and Westmoreland counties in the Northern Neck; Essex, Gloucester, King & Queen, King William, Mathews and Middlesex counties in the Middle Peninsula.