

GENERAL NOTES

CHANGES MAY BE REQUIRED WHEN PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS IN THE DETAIL DRAWINGS, STANDARD DETAILS, AND ROADWAY DETAILS ARE NOT ATTAINABLE TO MEET FIELD CONDITIONS OR RESULT IN DUPLICATE OR UNDESIRE

THE FOLLOWING GENERAL NOTES APPLY AT ALL TIMES FOR THE DURATION OF THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT EXCEPT WHEN OTHERWISE NOTED IN THE PLAN OR DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

TIME RESTRICTIONS:

- A) DO NOT CLOSE OR NARROW TRAVEL LANES DURING HOLIDAYS AND SPECIAL EVENTS AS FOLLOWS:
- | ROAD NAME          | HOLIDAY   |
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| US 276 (PIGEON RD) |   |
|                    | 1. FOR ANY UNEXPECTED OCCURRENCE THAT CREATES UNUSUALLY HIGH TRAFFIC VOLUMES, AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.  |
|                    | 2. FOR NEW YEAR’S, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. DECEMBER 31st TO 6:00 P.M. JANUARY 2ND. IF NEW YEAR’S DAY IS ON A FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY, OR MONDAY THEN UNTIL 6:00 P.M. THE FOLLOWING TUESDAY. |
|                    | 3. FOR EASTER, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. THURSDAY AND 6:00 P.M. MONDAY.  |
|                    | 4. FOR MEMORIAL DAY, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. FRIDAY TO 6:00 P.M. TUESDAY.  |
|                    | 5. FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. THE DAY BEFORE INDEPENDENCE DAY AND 6:00 P.M. THE DAY AFTER INDEPENDENCE DAY.   |
|                    | IF INDEPENDENCE DAY IS ON A FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY OR MONDAY THEN BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. THE THURSDAY BEFORE INDEPENDENCE DAY AND 6:00 P.M. THE TUESDAY AFTER INDEPENDENCE DAY.           |
|                    | 6. FOR LABOR DAY, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. FRIDAY AND 6:00 P.M. TUESDAY.  |
|                    | 7. FOR THANKSGIVING DAY, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. TUESDAY TO 6:00 P.M. MONDAY.  |
|                    | 8. FOR CHRISTMAS, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 6:00 A.M. THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE WEEK OF CHRISTMAS DAY AND 6:00 P.M. THE FOLLOWING TUESDAY AFTER THE WEEK OF CHRISTMAS.                                       |

- B) DO NOT CLOSE ROADS AS FOLLOWS:

ROAD NAME	DAY AND TIME RESTRICTIONS
US 276 (PIGEON RD)	DURING ANY OTHER TIMES NOT LISTED IN THE PHASING ON SHEET TMP-3 AND THE LOCAL NOTES SHOWN ON THIS SHEET

LANE AND SHOULDER CLOSURE REQUIREMENTS

- C) REMOVE LANE CLOSURE DEVICES FROM THE LANE WHEN WORK IS NOT BEING PERFORMED BEHIND THE LANE CLOSURE OR WHEN A LANE CLOSURE IS NO LONGER NEEDED OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- D) WHEN PERSONNEL AND/OR EQUIPMENT ARE WORKING WITHIN 15 FT OF AN OPEN TRAVEL LANE, CLOSE THE NEAREST OPEN SHOULDER USING ROADWAY STANDARD DRAWING NO. 1101.04 UNLESS THE WORK AREA IS PROTECTED BY BARRIER OR GUARDRAIL OR A LANE CLOSURE IS INSTALLED.

- E) WHEN PERSONNEL AND/OR EQUIPMENT ARE WORKING WITHIN 5 FT OF AN OPEN TRAVEL LANE ON AN UNDIVIDED FACILITY, CLOSE THE NEAREST OPEN TRAVEL LANE USING ROADWAY STANDARD DRAWING NO. 1101.02 UNLESS THE WORK AREA IS PROTECTED BY BARRIER OR GUARDRAIL.
- WHEN PERSONNEL AND/OR EQUIPMENT ARE WORKING WITHIN 10 FT OF AN OPEN TRAVEL LANE ON A DIVIDED FACILITY, CLOSE THE NEAREST OPEN TRAVEL LANE USING ROADWAY STANDARD DRAWING NO. 1101.02 UNLESS THE WORK AREA IS PROTECTED BY BARRIER OR GUARDRAIL.
- F) WHEN PERSONNEL AND/OR EQUIPMENT ARE WORKING WITHIN A LANE OF TRAVEL OF AN UNDIVIDED OR DIVIDED FACILITY, CLOSE THE LANE ACCORDING TO THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLANS, ROADWAY STANDARD DRAWINGS, OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. CONDUCT THE WORK SO THAT ALL PERSONNEL AND/OR EQUIPMENT REMAIN WITHIN THE CLOSED TRAVEL LANE.
- G) NOTIFY THE NCDOT STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION OPERATIONS CENTER (STOC) AT 877-627-7862 APPROXIMATELY 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO INSTALLING AND WITHIN 15 MINUTES AFTER REMOVING LANE CLOSURES ON INTERSTATES, FREEWAYS, CONTROLLED ACCESS FACILITIES, AND US ROUTES.

TRAFFIC PATTERN ALTERATIONS

- H) NOTIFY THE ENGINEER THIRTY (30) CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO ANY TRAFFIC PATTERN ALTERATION.

SIGNING

- I) INSTALL ADVANCE WORK ZONE WARNING SIGNS WHEN WORK IS WITHIN 40 FT FROM THE EDGE OF TRAVEL LANE AND NO MORE THAN THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF CONSTRUCTION.
- J) PROVIDE SIGNING AND DEVICES REQUIRED TO CLOSE THE ROAD ACCORDING TO THE ROADWAY STANDARD DRAWINGS AND TRAFFIC CONTROL PLANS.
- PROVIDE SIGNING REQUIRED FOR THE OFF-SITE DETOUR ROUTE AS SHOWN IN THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLANS.
- K) COVER OR REMOVE ALL SIGNS AND DEVICES REQUIRED TO CLOSE THE ROAD WHEN ROAD CLOSURE IS NOT IN OPERATION.
- COVER OR REMOVE ALL SIGNS REQUIRED FOR THE OFF-SITE DETOUR WHEN THE DETOUR IS NOT IN OPERATION.
- L) ENSURE ALL NECESSARY SIGNING IS IN PLACE PRIOR TO ALTERING ANY TRAFFIC PATTERN.

TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

- M) PLACE TYPE III BARRICADES, WITH "ROAD CLOSED" SIGN R11-2 ATTACHED, OF SUFFICIENT LENGTH TO CLOSE ENTIRE ROADWAY.

LOCAL NOTES

- 1) TWO FULL CLOSURE PERIODS WILL BE ALLOWED FOR CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES ALONG US 276 (PIGEON RD). CLOSE US 276 (PIGEON RD) TO TRAFFIC AND DETOUR TRAFFIC OFF-SITE AS FOLLOWS:
- THE FIRST PERIOD (PHASE I, STEP 2) WILL BE A NINE (9) CONSECUTIVE DAY PERIOD. SEE INTERMEDIATE CONTRACT TIME AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES.
- THE SECOND PERIOD (PHASE II, STEP 2) WILL BE ONE WEEKEND CLOSURE STARTING AT 6:00 P.M. FRIDAY AND ENDING AT 6:00 A.M. MONDAY. SEE INTERMEDIATE CONTRACT TIME AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES.
- 2) SINGLE LANE CLOSURES MAY BE USED TO PERFORM ANY ADDITIONAL CONSTRUCTION WORK NEEDED BEYOND THE FULL ROAD CLOSURES LISTED ABOVE.
- 3) LOCAL ACCESS TO ALL OTHER ROADS AND RESIDENCES WILL BE MAINTAINED BETWEEN ROAD CLOSURE POINTS AT ALL TIMES DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 4) NOTIFY HAYWOOD COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT LEAST ONE MONTH PRIOR TO ROAD CLOSURE.

MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES

- TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES:
- FULL ROADWAY CLOSURES
  - LANE SHIFTS OR CLOSURES
  - ONE-LANE, TWO WAY OPERATION (FLAGGING)
  - WEEKEND WORK
  - OFF-SITE DETOURS / USE OF ALTERNATIVE ROUTES
- TRAFFIC / INCIDENT MANAGEMENT & SPEED ENFORCEMENT STRATEGIES:
- LOCAL DETOUR ROUTES

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