



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

December 17, 2021

**Media Contacts:**

German Vigil (DDOT) – (202) 306-1668, [german.vigil@dc.gov](mailto:german.vigil@dc.gov)

**DDOT Traffic Advisory: Temporary Closures on I-295  
Northbound and Southbound December 20 – December 26, 2021**

(Washington, D.C.)—The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) will temporarily close a lane on the following roadway to perform construction activities along the I-295/DC 295 corridor from Monday, December 20 until Sunday, December 26, 2021 weather permitting:

I-295 Northbound: Laboratory Road / US Naval Research Lab (Exit 1) to Suitland Parkway / JBAB (Exit 3A)

- Left or right shoulder closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Left or right shoulder closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>

I-295 Southbound: Suitland Parkway / JBAB (Exit 3A) to Laboratory Road / US Naval Research Lab (Exit 1)

- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>

- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>

Additional Work:

- Single left or right lane closure on Malcolm X Ave SE westbound from 2<sup>nd</sup> St. to South Capitol Street SE starting at 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>
- closure on Malcolm X Ave SE westbound from 2<sup>nd</sup> St. to South Capitol Street SE starting at 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure on Malcolm X Ave SE eastbound South Capitol to/from 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE starting from 6:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure on Malcolm X Ave SE eastbound South Capitol to/from 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE starting from 6:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Full ramp closure on I-295 northbound on-ramp from MLK Jr. Ave SE to I-295 northbound starting at 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. (**continuous**) from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 26<sup>th</sup>
- Single right lane closure on St. Elizabeths Ave SE from Gate 4 to Fifth Sterling Ave SE starting at 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Single right lane closure on St. Elizabeths Ave SE from Gate 4 to Fifth Sterling Ave SE starting at 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Single right lane closure on South Capitol Street SE northbound from Exit 2 (SB) to DC Streetcar Charge Station starting at 6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Single right lane closure on South Capitol Street SE northbound from Exit 2 (SB) to DC Streetcar Charge Station starting at 6:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on December 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Full ramp closure on I-295 northbound on-ramp from MLK Jr. Ave SE to I-295 northbound starting at 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (**continuous**) from December 20<sup>th</sup> to December 22<sup>nd</sup>

All traffic controls will be in place to warn drivers approaching the areas. Motorists should anticipate moderate delays due to the lane is closure. Drivers are advised to stay alert while traveling through these locations and to be observant of the inspection and construction personnel.

For more information about efforts to improve the 295 corridors and to stay up to date on traffic-related impacts and construction progress, please visit [www.improving295dc.com](http://www.improving295dc.com).

###

For more information about DDOT's ongoing efforts to improve the 295 corridor,  
visit <http://www.improving295dc.com>.

*The mission of the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) is to enhance the quality of life for District residents and visitors by ensuring that people, goods, and information move efficiently and safely with minimal adverse impact on residents and the environment.*

*Follow us on [Twitter](#) for transportation-related updates and more; like us on [Facebook](#) and visit the website at [www.ddot.dc.gov](http://www.ddot.dc.gov). Visit [goDCgo.com](http://goDCgo.com) for more information on transportation options in the District.*