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**DDOT Traffic Advisory: Temporary Closures on I-295  
Northbound and Southbound December 13<sup>th</sup> – December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

(Washington, DC)—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 13<sup>th</sup> until Sunday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 weather permitting:

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

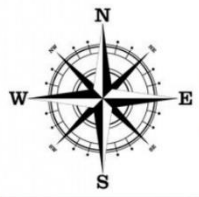
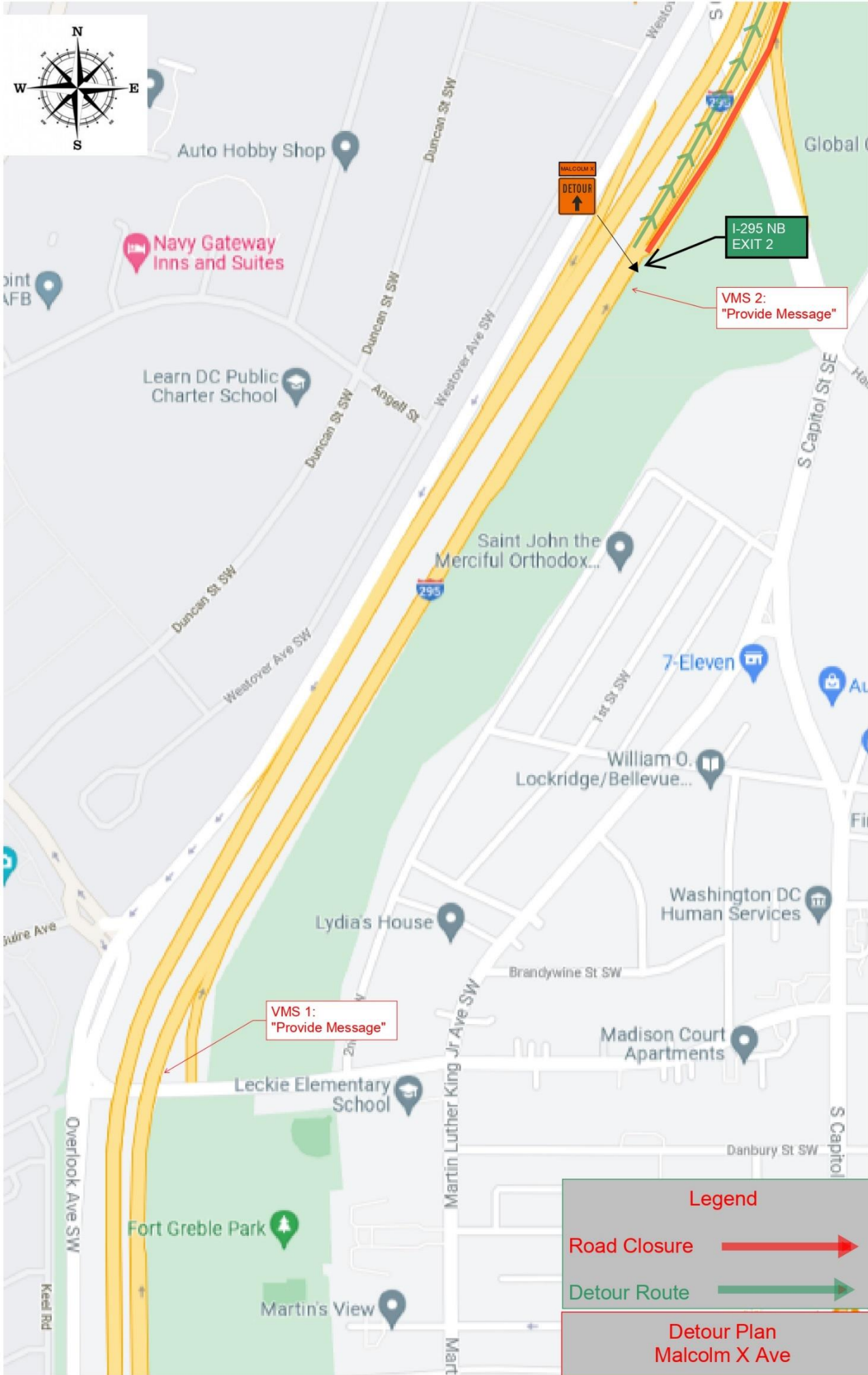
- Left or right shoulder closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00am to 4:00pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00am to 4:00am from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00am to 2:00pm from December 18<sup>th</sup> to December 19<sup>th</sup>

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

- Left or right shoulder closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00am to 4:00pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 7:00am to 4:00pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00am to 2:00pm from December 18<sup>th</sup> to December 19<sup>th</sup>

Additional Work:

- Double lane closure on Malcolm X Ave SE westbound from 2<sup>nd</sup> St. to South Capitol Street SE starting at 7:00am to 4:30pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</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 6:00am to 4:30pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup>
- Full ramp closure on I-295 northbound on-ramp from MLK Jr. Ave SE to I-295 northbound starting at 6:00am to 6:00am (**continuous**) from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 19<sup>th</sup>
- Single right lane closure on St. Elizabeth's Ave SE from Gate 4 to Fifth Sterling Ave SE starting at 8:30am to 3:00pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup>
- Single right lane closure on South Capitol Street SE northbound from Exit 2 (SB) to DC Streetcar Charge Station starting at 6:00am to 4:00pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 19<sup>th</sup>
- Full ramp closure on I-295 northbound off-ramp from I-295 northbound to Exit 2 starting at 9:00am to 5:00pm from December 13<sup>th</sup> to December 18<sup>th</sup> (**detour maps below**)



Auto Hobby Shop

Navy Gateway Inns and Suites

Learn DC Public Charter School

Saint John the Merciful Orthodox...

7-Eleven

William O. Lockridge/Bellevue...

Washington DC Human Services

Lydia's House

Madison Court Apartments

Leckie Elementary School

Fort Greble Park

Martin's View


MALCOLM X  
DETOUR  
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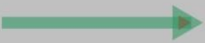
I-295 NB  
EXIT 2

VMS 2:  
"Provide Message"

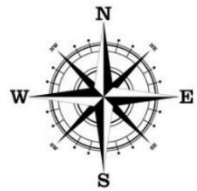
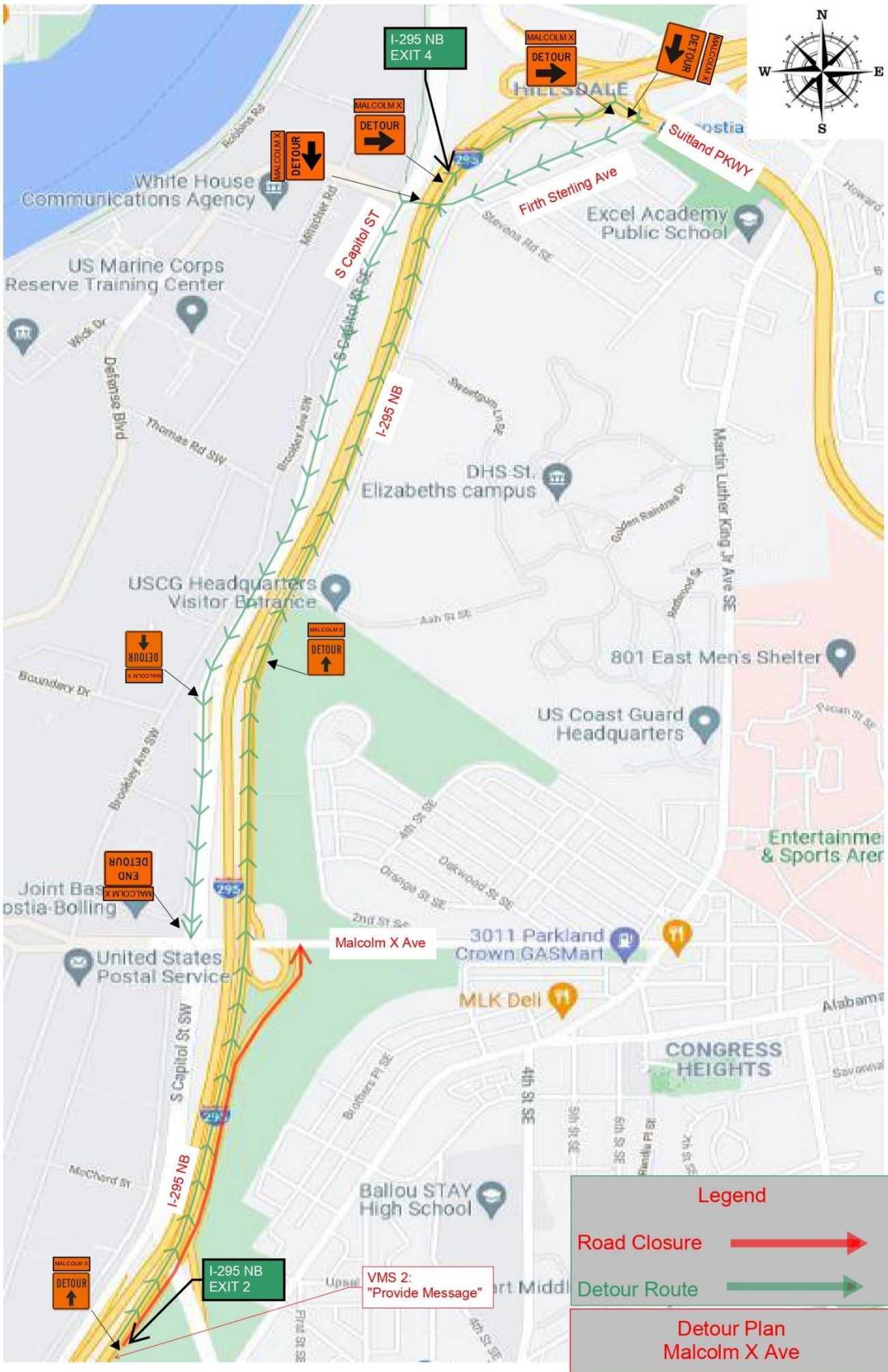
VMS 1:  
"Provide Message"

**Legend**

Road Closure 

Detour Route 

**Detour Plan**  
Malcolm X Ave



I-295 NB  
EXIT 4

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I-295 NB  
EXIT 2

VMS 2:  
"Provide Message"

White House  
Communications Agency

US Marine Corps  
Reserve Training Center

USCG Headquarters  
Visitor Entrance

United States  
Postal Service

Malcolm X Ave

3011 Parkland  
Crown GASMart

MLK Deli

Ballou STAY  
High School

Excelsior Academy  
Public School

DHS St.  
Elizabeths campus

US Coast Guard  
Headquarters

801 East Men's Shelter

Entertainment  
& Sports Area

CONGRESS  
HEIGHTS

Ballou STAY  
High School

Ballou STAY  
High School

Ballou STAY  
High School

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High School

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).

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