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**DDOT Traffic Advisory: Temporary Closures on I-295  
Northbound and Southbound September 20<sup>th</sup> – September 26<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, September 20<sup>th</sup> until Sunday, September 26<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 September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<sup>th</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 9:00am to 4:00am from September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<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 September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<sup>th</sup>
- Single left or right lane closure between Exits 1-3 starting at 7:00am to 4:00pm from September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<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 9:30am to 3:00pm from September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<sup>th</sup>
- Double lane closure on Malcom X Ave SE eastbound South Capitol to/from 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE starting from 9:30am to 3:00pm from September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<sup>th</sup>

- Single left or right lane closure on Malcom X Ave SE eastbound South Capitol to/from 2<sup>nd</sup> Street SE starting from 12:00pm to 3:00pm from September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<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 September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 26<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 September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 25<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 5:00pm from September 20<sup>th</sup> to September 26<sup>th</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).

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