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Chatham County...

INTERSECTION PAVING OPERATION CONTINUES TOMORROW ON STATE ROUTE 204 SPUR

WHEN: 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., Thursday, July 18, weather permitting.

WHERE: S.R. 204 Spur/Diamond Causeway/Whitefield Avenue at the Ferguson Avenue intersection in Chatham County.

WHAT: Contractor for the Georgia DOT will be paving the intersection of S.R. 204 Spur/Diamond Causeway/Whitefield Avenue at Ferguson Avenue. The paving operation is scheduled from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., Thursday, July 18, weather permitting.

This paving operation will impact motorists with delays at this intersection. Police will be utilized to direct traffic through the work zone and motorist should expect delays.

This is a **WORK ZONE** and extreme caution is necessary. Motorists are advised to reduce speeds as they travel through this and all work zones. Message signs, barrels and/or cones will be utilized to alert the public of the upcoming changes. Drivers should be aware that personnel and equipment will be operating in close proximity to travel lanes.

Each day, hundreds of Georgia Department of Transportation employees and contractors work on dozens of highway, bridge and intersection improvements throughout the state. Their work often brings them and heavy machinery in close proximity to travel lanes. Fifty-seven Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors' workers have been killed in highway work zone accidents since 1973. Please help us prevent these tragedies by slowing down; being especially attentive and cautious as you pass through construction work zones; and always driving responsibly. Safer Driving; Safer Work Zones; For Everyone. For more information on Georgia DOT, please visit www.dot.ga.gov or subscribe to our Press Release RSS feed. You also may follow us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT) and Twitter (<http://twitter.com/gadepoftrans>).

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