

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

MEDIA ALERT

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LANE CLOSURE SCHEDULED ON WASHINGTON ROAD TO I-20 WEST ON RAMPS; DELAYS EXPECTED

WHEN: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, July 30, continuing through Thursday, August 2, weather permitting

WHERE: Interstate 20 west on ramps from Washington Road/State Route 28

WHAT: Contractors for Georgia DOT have scheduled a lane closure on the Interstate 20 on ramps from Washington Road/State Route 28. Westbound Washington Road/State Route 20 to I-20 west traffic via the loop ramp will almost immediately merge with the I-20 westbound outside lane. Eastbound Washington Road/State Route 28 to I-20 west traffic will be required to yield to enter the same I-20 westbound outside land. This work is tentatively scheduled between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., weather permitting.

Motorists are advised to expect delays in this area, use extreme caution, reduce their speed and be alert to changing traffic conditions in work zones.

On Tuesday, July 31, voters will decide if 12 designated districts across Georgia will be authorized to collect a one-cent sales tax for the next 10 years to be devoted exclusively to local and regional transportation projects. In districts where the referendum passes, the Department of Transportation will be responsible for project delivery. An independent study ranked Georgia DOT first in the country in on-budget project delivery and second in on-time delivery. Project delivery is what Georgia DOT does. Referendum projects assigned to the Department will be completed on time and on budget. For further information on the important Transportation Referendum, please visit: www.dot.ga.gov/transportationreferendum