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*McDuffie County...*

## **I-20 Slab Corrective Work Delayed**

**WHAT:** The scheduled Georgia Department of Transportation contract slab lifting work affecting Interstate 20 in McDuffie County was delayed by rain. Citizens can expect to see personnel through Wednesday, Nov. 4. The focus area at mile 175.8 eastbound includes both lanes. Uretek will correct a settled concrete slab in Lane 2 first, before leveling out Lane 1 at the location. Again, this work is contingent on ideal weather conditions.

The public should be aware that slower speeds are necessary due to only one lane of travel in this area. Please be patient and alert as the contractor sets up the lane closure and works just a few short feet from passing traffic. Expect delays for the duration of this slab replacement.

**WHEN:** Contractor is currently onsite working; We expect them to return tomorrow to finish. Hours are generally 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**WHERE:** I-20 eastbound at mile marker 175.8

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.

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