



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

MEDIA ADVISORY

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GEORGIA DOT CREWS SCHEDULE BARRIER WALL WORK ON I-75 IN TIFT COUNTY

WHEN: 7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., Monday, December 5 and continuing through Thursday, December 8.

WHERE: I-75/S.R. 401 in Tift County.

WHAT: Georgia DOT Maintenance crews have tentatively scheduled barrier wall work on I-75/S.R. 401 in Tift County between 7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., beginning Monday, December 5 and continuing through Thursday, December 8, weather permitting.

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.

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