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*Liberty County...*

## **MOTORISTS BE ALERT ON STATE ROUTE 38 NEAR WALTHOURVILLE**

Lane Closures Scheduled This Week

**WHAT:** Georgia DOT granted a permit to J. Hines Company to install a temporary westbound lane closure on U.S. 84/S.R. 38 near S.R. 119/Airport Road in Walthourville. Lane closures have been scheduled for Thursday and Friday from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m., weather permitting. The lane closure will be utilized to lay asphalt for deceleration lane.

Motorists are advised to reduce speeds as they travel through this construction work zone and expect minor delays in this area.

**WHEN:** 8 a.m. until 4 p.m., Thursday, December 19 through Friday, December 20, weather permitting.

**WHERE:** U.S. 84/S.R. 38 from mile marker .08 to mile marker 1.2, near S.R. 119/Airport Road in Liberty County.

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](http://www.dot.ga.gov) or subscribe to our Press Release [RSS feed](#). You also may follow us on [Facebook](#) ([www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT](http://www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT)) and [Twitter](http://twitter.com/gadepoftrans) (<http://twitter.com/gadepoftrans>).

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