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Fulton County...

Overnight Lane Closures Continue for the Downtown Connector Resurfacing Project

WHAT: Weather permitting; Georgia DOT contractors will begin resurfacing approximately 6 miles on I-75/I-85 (Downtown Connector) from University Avenue to the Brookwood Interchange. The Downtown Connector was resurfaced in 2008. The resurfacing project is a part of Georgia DOT's efforts to maintain its infrastructure.

The work will take place nightly from **9 p.m. until 5 a.m.** except on the weekends when work will continue until 8 a.m. During resurfacing, the entire ramp may close nightly from midnight until 5 a.m. However, Brookwood and I-20 interchanges will not have complete ramp closures. Emergency vehicles will be allowed access to the ramps. Exact dates may change due to weather or other factors.

WHEN: Monday, August 8 – Sunday, August 14

WHERE:

The tentative schedule for ramp closures is as follows:

- **Monday, August 8 at 9 p.m., – Tuesday, August 9 at 5 a.m.:** northbound entrance ramp from Freedom Parkway/Irwin Street underpass
- **Tuesday, August 9 at 9 p.m. – Wednesday, August 10 at 5 a.m.:** I-75/I-85 northbound exit ramp 249B to Pine Street, Peachtree Street, Civic Center (Exit # 249B)
- **Wednesday, August 10 at 9 p.m. – Thursday, August 11 at 5 a.m.:** I-75/I-85 northbound exit ramp to Spring Street, West Peachtree Street (Exit # 249D)

- **Thursday, August 11 at 9 p.m. – Friday, August 12 at 5 a.m.:** I-75/I-85 northbound exit ramp to Spring Street, West Peachtree Street (Exit # 249D)
- **Friday, August 12 at 9 p.m. – Saturday, August 13 at 8 a.m.:** I-75/I-85 northbound entrance ramp from Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard
- **Saturday, August 13 at 9 p.m. – Sunday August 14 at 9 a.m.: NO WORK ON DOWNTOWN CONNECTOR PROJECT**
- **Sunday, August 14 at 9 p.m. – Monday, August 15 at 5 a.m.:** I-75/I-85 northbound entrance ramp from Spring Street NW, Williams Street

ADVISORY:

Motorists are cautioned to reduce their speed while traveling through work zones, pay attention and watch for workers. Before heading out, get real-time information on work status and traffic conditions. Call 511, visit 511ga.org , or download the Georgia 511 app.