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UPDATE: CSX will extend the railroad crossing closure referenced below until 5 p.m., Friday, April 29.

8-Day Railroad Crossing Closure on SR 307 in Garden City

GARDEN CITY – At the request of CSX Railroad, the Georgia Department of Transportation announces an 8-day road closure in conjunction with railroad crossing improvements on SR 307 at SR 21 intersection in Garden City. SR 307 will be **closed at the railroad crossing** and traffic detoured beginning 8 a.m., Tuesday, April 19 continuing through 5 p.m., Tuesday, April 26.

Georgia DOT maintenance crews will install the road closure with a detour in place as vehicular traffic cannot cross the railroad tracks during this work. The roadway will reopen early if the work is completed ahead of schedule or could possibly be closed longer if weather delays the work.

Motorists will be able to access businesses, schools, and residences in the area up to work zone.

The detour routes will be signed as follows:

Traffic traveling **northbound on S.R. 307** will detour westbound on US 80/SR 26 (Louisville Road) for 2.8 miles to I-95; travel northbound on I-95 for 4.2 miles to exit onto Jimmy Deloach Parkway (Exit 106); turn right onto Jimmy Deloach Parkway to travel 2.4 miles to SR 21 (Augusta Road); travel 2.4 miles southbound on SR 21 to SR 307 where the detour ends.

Traffic traveling **southbound on SR 307** will detour southbound on SR 21 for 1 mile to merge onto Burnseed Boulevard; travel on Burnseed Boulevard for .02 mile to US 80/SR 26; travel on US80/SR 26 for 3.4 miles to SR 307 where detour ends.

Georgia DOT urges travelers to call 511 for updated information about this or any other construction project on interstates and state routes. Georgia 511 is a free phone service that provides real-time traffic and travel information statewide, such as traffic conditions, incidents, lane closures, and delays due to inclement weather. Callers also can transfer to operators to request assistance or report incidents 24 hours a day, seven days a week. More information is available at www.511ga.org.

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