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DOUBLE LANE CLOSURE IN BOTH DIRECTIONS AND SEVERAL RAMPS CLOSED THIS WEEKEND ON TOP END I-285

ATLANTA – Long delays and major backups in both directions are expected this weekend on the I-285 top end as crews work on the mainline in both directions and close several ramps as part of the massive resurfacing project, weather permitting. Construction and maintenance work will also be underway on several state routes around metro Atlanta throughout the weekend.

All weekend, two left lanes will be closed eastbound from Cobb Parkway to Powers Ferry Road and two right lanes will be closed westbound from Ashford Dunwoody to Riverside Drive. Crews will also close and reopen several ramps along the top end. (See the detailed plans for the weekend and next week at the bottom of the release).

“It will be a difficult drive across the top end this weekend,” said GDOT District Construction Engineer Lee Upkins. “Avoid it if possible but if you have to go through there, give yourself extra time.”

Other project affecting traffic this weekend: bridge work on SR 400 northbound and work around the Sidney Marcus Boulevard/State Route 13 intersection.

Here is a full list of this weekend’s work in metro Atlanta:

Cobb, 7/9/12 to 10/31/12, 9am till 5pm, daily

SR 3 NB, from MP 2.2 (Herodian Way) to MP 6.51 (S Marietta Parkway), single right lane closed for pipe installation and various other construction activities.

Cobb, 8/6/12 to 10/31/12, 9am till 4pm, daily

SR 3 NB/SB, from MP 0 (Barrett Parkway) to MP 12.36 (Franklin Rd), single right lane closed for the installation of thermoplastic striping.

Cobb, 8/6/12 to 10/31/12, 8pm till 5am, nightly,

SR 3 NB/SB, from MP 4.42 (Barrett Parkway) to MP 12.12 (Franklin Road), single lane closed for restriping operations.

Cobb, 10/11/12 to 10/31/12, 8pm till 5am, nightly

Canton Hwy NB/SB, about MP 1 (Guffin Lane/Sandy Plains Road), lane closed for installing casings across SR 5 SB then NB lane.

Cobb, 10/12/12 to 10/31/12, 7pm till 5am, nightly

SR 120 EB/WB, from MP 0 (Cobb County Line) to MP 10.31 (SR 5), single right lane closed for construction operations.

Cobb, 10/15/12 to 10/31/12, 9pm till 5am, nightly

I-285 SB, from MP 18 (Paces Ferry Road) to MP 13 (Bolton Road), rolling closure for installation of RPM's.

Cobb, 10/26/12 to 10/29/12, 9pm till 5am, continuous

I-75 SB, around MP 259 (I-285 EB), ramp closed for bridge joint replacement.

Cobb, 10/26/12 to 10/29/12, 9pm till 5am, continuous

I-285 EB, from MP 19 (Cobb Parkway) to MP 21 (Powers Ferry Road), two left lanes closed for bridge joint repairs.

Fulton, 1/17/12 to 10/28/12, 7:30am till 4pm, daily

SR 141 SB, from MP 1.8 (Roxboro Road) to MP 1.1 (Stratford Road), single right lane closed for road improvements.

Fulton, 5/4/12 to 12/31/12, 9am till 3pm, daily

Sidney Marcus Blvd EB/WB, from MP 1 (GA 400) to MP 2 (Buford Hwy), Flagging for construction activities.

Fulton, 5/4/12 to 12/31/12, 9am till 3pm, daily

SR 13 NB/SB, from MP 2 (I-85) to MP 3 (Lenox Road), flagging operations for various construction activities.

Fulton & DeKalb, 5/10/12 to 11/30/12, continuous

Sidney Marcus Blvd EB NB, from MP 0.8 to MP 0.6 (Sidney Marcus Blvd), shoulder closed with barrier for bridge construction and staging.

Fulton, 5/15/12 to 2/28/13, continuous

GA 400 NB, from MP 1 (I-85) to MP 1.2 (Sidney Marcus Blvd), shoulder closed for building bridge foundations.

Fulton, 5/25/12 to 5/1/13, continuous

SR 154 WB, from MP 34.16 (Capital Ave) to MP 34.02 (Memorial Dr), single right lane closed for parking deck construction.

Fulton, 6/18/12 to 1/31/13, continuous

GA 400 SB, from MP 3 (Lenox Rd) to MP 2 (Sidney Marcus Blvd), right shoulder of ramp closed for bridge foundation construction.

Clayton, 7/30/12 to 10/10/12, 8pm to 5am, daily

I-285 EB, from MP 63.3 (I-85) to MP 45.3 (I-20), single inside lane closed for placing thermoplastic striping and raised pavement markers.

Fulton, 3/27/12 to 11/30/12, 9pm till 5am, daily

SR 141 NB/SB, from MP 1.8 (Roxboro Road) to MP 1.1 (Stratford Road), either right or left lane closed for construction activities.

Fulton, 8/20/12 to 11/2/12, 9am till 3pm, daily

SR 8 SB, from MP 8.03 (North Avenue) to MP 8.13 (Piedmont Avenue), single right lane closed for construction activities.

Fulton, 9/7/12 to 12/29/12, 7am till 5pm, daily

Sidney Marcus Blvd EB/WB, from MP 1 (GA 400) to MP 2.5 (Buford Hwy), single left lane closed for bridge construction operations.

Fulton, 8/9/12 to 12/29/12, 7am till 5pm, daily

SR 13 NB/SB, from MP 2.5 (I-85) to MP 3.5 (Sidney Marcus Blvd), single right lane closed for bridge construction operations.

Fulton, 9/8/12 to 12/29/12, 7am till 5pm, daily

Cheshire Bridge Road SB, from MP 0.5 (Buford Hwy) to MP 1 (Lindbergh Dr), single right lane closed for bridge construction operations.

Fulton, 9/10/12 to 11/2/12, 9am till 3pm, daily

SR 8 WB, from MP 7.71 to MP 7.63 (Springs St), single right lane closed for sidewalk construction.

Fulton, 9/16/12 to 10/31/12, 7pm till 5am nightly

SR 120 EB/WB, from MP 10.06 (North Point Parkway) to MP 10.16 (Big Creek Greenway), middle lanes closed for intersection reconstruction.

Fulton, 9/16/12 to 10/30/12, 9pm till 5am, nightly

SR 9 NB/SB, from MP 10.43 (Carpenter Dr) to MP 12.06 (Abernathy Rd), single lane closed in either direction at various times for milling and paving operations.

Fulton, 10/5/12 to 12/31/12, 4:30am till 3pm, nightly

SR 400 NB, from MP 0.5 (I-85) to MP 1 (Sidney Marcus Blvd), single right lane closed for construction on bridge bents.

Fulton, 10/27/12 to 10/28/12, 6am till 7pm

SR 141 NB/SB, from MP 0.49 (Maple Drive) to MP 0.94 (GA 400), various lane closures for landscaping activities.

Fulton, 10/12/12 to 11/2/12, 9:30 am till 3pm, daily

GA 400NB, about MP 1 (I-85/Peachtree Rd), single left lane closed for bridge bent construction.

Fulton, 10/17/12 to 11/2/12, 10am till 5pm, daily

SR 154 WB, from MP 34.53 (Hill Street) to MP 34.14 (Fraser Street), single right lane closed for utility work.

Fulton, 10/26/12 to 10/27/12, 10pm till 3pm

I-285 SB, about MP 10.3 (I-20) two right lanes closed for slab replacement.

Fulton, 10/23/12 to 11/2/12, 10am till 4pm, daily
SR 8 (North Avenue) NB, about MP 7.9 (Peachtree Street), single right lane closed for installation of Granite Curb.

Fulton, 10/23/12 to 11/2/12, daily
SR 166 WB, from MP 24.39 to MP 24.65 (Barge Road), single right lane closed for sidewalk and ADA construction.

Fulton, 10/23/12 to 11/2/12, 8pm till 5am, daily
SR 400 NB, from MP 2.5 to MP 2.75 (Lenox Road), left ramp lane closed for bridge construction.

Fulton, 10/26/12 to 10/29/12, 9pm till 5am, daily
I-285 EB, from MP 24 (Riverside Drive) to MP 29 (Ashford Dunwoody Road), two right lanes closed resurfacing work.

Fulton, 10/26/12 to 10/29/12, 9pm till 5am, daily
I-285 WB, about MP 27 (GA 400 NB), ramp closed for construction activities.

DeKalb, 5/14/12 to 4/30/12, 9am till 4pm, daily
SR 42 SB, from MP 13.17 (N Druid Hills Rd) to MP 13.12 (Briarcliff Rd), right shoulder closed for intersection improvements.

DeKalb, 10/11/12 to 10/31/12, 7pm till 5am, nightly
SR 155 SB, about MP 15 (North Decatur Road), single right lane closed for installing and replacing gas valves.

DeKalb Fulton, 10/26/12 to 10/29/12, 9pm till 5am, daily
I-285 WB, from MP 29 (Ashford Dunwoody Road) to MP 24 (Riverside Drive), two right lanes closed for approach slab replacement.

I-285 Resurfacing details – 10/25/12 – 10/31/12

Any closures noted will have signed detours.

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2 left lanes & inside shoulder EB, US 41 Bridge to Interstate Parkway North Bridge 9:00pm
Thursday – 5:00am Friday

TRAFFIC INTERRUPTION REPORT FOR WEEKEND

Friday, October 26, 2012

Westbound Ashford Dunwoody to Long Island Bridge

Approach Slab removal and replacement on Peachtree Dunwoody, GA 400, & Glenridge
2 right lanes & outside shoulder WB, Ashford Dunwoody to Glenridge 9:00pm

Friday – 5:00am Monday
Exit 27 WB I-285 on ramp from GA 400 NB Closed 9:00pm

Friday – 5:00am Monday
Milling and Paving Plugs Eastbound from SR 9 to Ashford Dunwoody
2 right lanes & outside shoulder EB, Long Island to Ashford Dunwoody 9:00pm
Friday – 5:00am Monday

Peachtree Dunwoody on Ramp Closed to mill and pave plug EB Ramp to GA 400 CLOSED	7:00am
Sunday – 5:00am Monday Bridge Joint Repair	
2 left lanes & inside shoulder EB, US 41 Bridge to Interstate Parkway North Bridge	9:00pm
Friday – 5:00am Monday (may flip to 1 right lane & outside shoulder if time allows)	
Monday, October 29, 2012	
1 lane & outside shoulder between Powers Ferry Bridge & Long Island Bridge EB	9:00pm
Monday – 5:00am Tuesday	
Tuesday, October 30, 2012	
1 lane & outside shoulder between Powers Ferry Bridge & Long Island Bridge EB	9:00pm
Tuesday – 5:00am Wednesday	
Wednesday October 31, 2012 NO WORK SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
1 lane & outside shoulder between New Northside off ramp to Northside on ramp	9:00pm
Wednesday – 5:00am Thursday	
2 left lanes & inside shoulder EB, US 41 Bridge to Interstate Pkwy North Bridge	9:00pm
Wednesday – 5:00am Thursday	

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