

Traffic Alert

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MAJOR LANE CLOSURES COMING TO I-95 THIS FALL

ALEXANDRIA -Motorists can expect multiple lane closures at night on Interstate 95 this fall while the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) adds a fourth lane in Fairfax and Prince William Counties. I-95 is being widened for six-miles from the Fairfax County Parkway to Route 123. The entire project is on schedule for completion in fall 2011.

Motorists can expect the following lane closures and traffic shifts:

- **Monday, Aug. 31 and Tuesday, Sept. 1:**
What: Milling and paving northbound I-95, south of Lorton Road.
impact: Multiple lane closures, 9:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. Expect 30-minutes delays.
- **Wednesday, Sept. 2 and Thursday, Sept. 3:**
What: Traffic shift for bridge widening on southbound I-95 at Lorton Road.
impact: One or more lanes closed, 9:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. Expect 30-minutes delays.
- **Tuesday, Sept. 8 until late October:**
What: Milling and paving between northbound I-95 from Route 1 to Lorton Road.
impact: One or more lanes closed, Sundays through Thursdays, 9:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. Expect 30-minute delays.
- **Monday, Sept. 21 and Tuesday, Sept. 22:**
What: Replacement of overhead sign between Route 1 and Lorton Road.
impact: On both nights, two of three lanes will close at 10:30 p.m., and all lanes will be stopped for up to 30 minutes after midnight and again between 1 a.m. and 2 a.m. Expect 45 minute delays.

- **Mid October:**

What: Traffic shift for bridge widening on southbound I-95 at Newington.

impact: One or more lanes closed, 9:30 p.m. to 5 a.m. Expect 20-minutes delays.

In addition, motorists can expect single lane closures on I-95 North and South, weekdays throughout the fall.

Schedule:

Segment	Open
I-95 north, Route 1 to Fairfax County Parkway	December 2009
I-95 south, Fairfax County Parkway to Route 1	fall 2010
I-95 north and south, Route 1 to Route 123	fall 2011

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