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Sewer Main Work Temporarily Shifts Traffic Pattern

Harrisonburg, Va. – The city of Harrisonburg’s Public Utilities Department will be working on repairing a sewer main tomorrow night that will cause a temporary interruption in traffic.

Starting Thursday, April 26 at 7:00 p.m., crews will begin working along South High Street to repair a sewer main. Traffic traveling northbound on South High Street, from South Avenue to Logan Lane, will be shifted to the center turn lane. Crews will be working in both northbound lanes to make the necessary repairs.

Field crews with the Public Utilities Department have a preventative maintenance schedule, where they use a robot with a camera to check the city’s sewer infrastructure underground. If repairs are needed, they are then prioritized based on the level of risk if that asset failed.

It is anticipated that crews will have the work completed by 8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 27.

Motorists are encouraged to use caution in this area, slow down, and be mindful of the crews working in and around the roadway.

This schedule is subject to change due to weather conditions or unforeseen maintenance on equipment.

The City of Harrisonburg is centrally located in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. It is home to almost 55,000 people. More information about the City of Harrisonburg is online at www.HarrisonburgVA.gov.

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