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Northbound Route 4003 McKnight Road Lane Closure Begins Friday in Allegheny County

Pittsburgh, PA – PennDOT District 11 is announcing lane restrictions on Route 4003 (McKnight Road) in the City of Pittsburgh, and Ross and McCandless townships, Allegheny County will begin Friday, March 15 weather permitting.

A single-lane closure will occur around-the-clock on the three-lane section of McKnight Road in the northbound direction between the Evergreen Road/Babcock Boulevard interchange and just south of Braunlich Drive from 9 a.m. Friday, March 15 continuously through 6 a.m. Friday, April 5. Additionally, northbound McKnight Road will be reduced to a single-lane of traffic nightly from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. in the same location. Crews will conduct inlet, drainage pipe replacement, curb gutter replacement, and slope erosion control. Motorists will still have access to the businesses along the corridor.

The work is part of the \$25.5 million McKnight Road improvement project. Work will include bridge and culvert preservation, milling and paving, base repairs, drainage upgrades and repairs, pipe cleaning, guide rail, signal, and ADA ramp upgrades, waterline replacement, concrete mountable curb replacement and new signage and pavement markings between Venture Street and Perrymont Road, including the Babcock Boulevard/Evergreen Road ramps. Before work concludes in the spring of 2025, restrictions will also include a 12-day closure of the Nelson Run Road interchange, two weekend closures at the Venture Street intersection, two crossovers at the Babcock Boulevard/Evergreen Road interchange, and several overnight ramp closures for paving operations and structure repairs. The prime contractor is Lindy Paving, Inc.

To help keep motorists informed as work progresses, PennDOT has created an email distribution list for McKnight Road traffic advisories and construction updates. Enroll by sending email addresses to <u>ymanyisha@pa.gov</u>. Please write "Subscribe – McKnight Road" in the subject line.

Motorists can check conditions on more than 40,000 roadway miles, including color-coded winter conditions on 2,900 miles, by visiting <u>www.511PA.com</u>. 511PA, which is free and available 24 hours a day, provides traffic delay warnings, weather forecasts, traffic speed information, and access to more than 1,000 traffic cameras.

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