

News Release

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Traffic Alert: Bees Ferry Road Widening Project Details for month of September

<u>Charleston County Government</u> announces nighttime lane closures for the <u>Bees Ferry Widening Project</u>. All work is weather permitting.

September 2 - September 5:

- Nighttime lane closures will occur on Bees Ferry Road between Glenn McConnell and the Charleston County Landfill for final striping.
- The work will occur between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.

September 8- September 30:

- Lane closures will occur on Bees Ferry Road for pavement operations between Glenn McConnell Parkway and S.C. Highway 61.
- Lane closures may also occur on S.C. Highway 61 (Ashley River Road) for pavement operations between Shadowmoss Parkway and Bees Ferry Road.
- The work will occur between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.
- Lane closures may occur at Bees Ferry Road intersections with West Ashley Circle, Grand Oaks Boulevard and Proximity Drive for signal work.
- Drivers traveling through the project's construction zone are asked to be aware of equipment and crews working in the area at all times.
- The public is also asked to notice traffic control signs, reductions in speed limits, and message board information.

The goal of the project is to make improvements to the entire 4.5-mile length of Bees Ferry Road from Savannah Highway (U.S. 17) to Ashley River Road (S.C. 61). The project was requested by the <u>City of Charleston</u> and is funded by the <u>Charleston County Transportation Sales Tax Program</u>. Partial funding for the project was approved by voters in the second Transportation Sales Tax bond referendum.

Visit the official website at http://roads.charlestoncounty.org for public meeting notices and up-to-date news and information about all Charleston County Transportation Sales Tax road projects. Anyone with questions about the project can call Charleston County's Transportation Development Department at (843) 202-6140.

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- Visit our website: <u>www.charlestoncounty.org</u>
 - o For Twitter updates relating to traffic and road project information: www.twitter.com/ccroadwise



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