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## Temporary Closures on Eastbound Suitland Parkway, and Southbound South Capitol Street SW March 7 to March 14, 2022

**(Washington, DC)** - The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) will temporarily close southbound South Capitol Street SW between Suitland Parkway and Firth Sterling Avenue SE nightly from 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. the following morning for roadway construction. When southbound South Capitol Street is closed, eastbound Suitland Parkway and southbound Firth Sterling Avenue will remain open to traffic. Due to the DC United game at Audi Field on Saturday, March 12, lane closures will not be implemented until 11:30 p.m. A marked detour will be in place during these closures.

### Southbound South Capitol St SE Closure & Detour



The ramp from eastbound Suitland Parkway to I-295 northbound will be closed Monday night, March 7 from 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. for overhead sign construction. This will be accompanied by intermittent closures (approximately 15 minutes) on NB I-295 at Suitland Parkway interchange. A marked detour will be in place during these closures.

### Eastbound Suitland Parkway access to northbound I-295 Closure & Detour



These closures are necessary for construction activities associated with the South Capitol Street Corridor Project which includes construction of the New Frederick Douglass Memorial Bridge and the reconstruction of the I-295/Suitland Parkway interchange.

Please observe the posted speed limit and proceed through the construction area with caution. Pedestrians and cyclists are advised to stay alert and follow signage when traveling through this area.

**For more information about DDOT's ongoing efforts to improve the 295 corridors, visit [www.improving295dc.com](http://www.improving295dc.com).**

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