



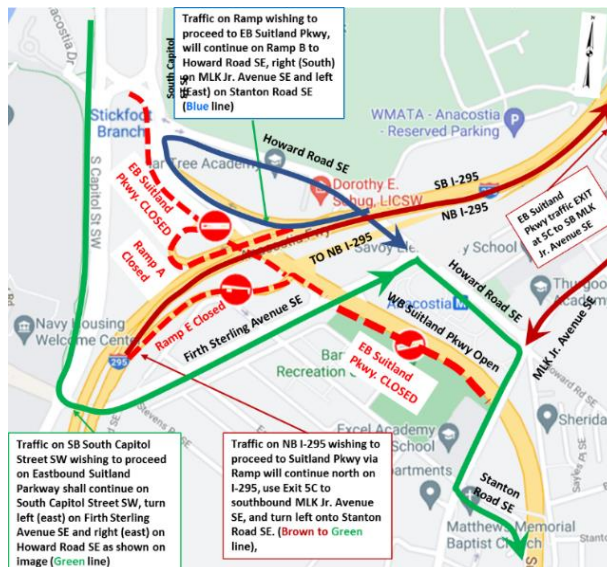
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Temporary Closures on Eastbound Suitland Parkway, Northbound South Capitol Street SE, and Howard Road SE, February 21 through February 28, 2022

(Washington, D.C.) - The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) will temporarily close eastbound Suitland Parkway from South Capitol Street SE to MLK Jr. Avenue SE from 9:00 p.m. on Friday, February 25 through 5:00 a.m. Monday morning, February 28 for bridge construction. This will include the closure of (1) Exit 4A from I-295 Southbound to outbound Suitland Parkway SE and (2) eastbound access to Suitland Parkway SE from I-295 Northbound (Exit 4). When eastbound Suitland Parkway SE is closed, Firth Sterling Avenue SE and South Capitol Street SE will remain open to all traffic. Marked detours will be in place during these closures as shown in the graphic.

Eastbound Suitland Parkway Closure & Detour



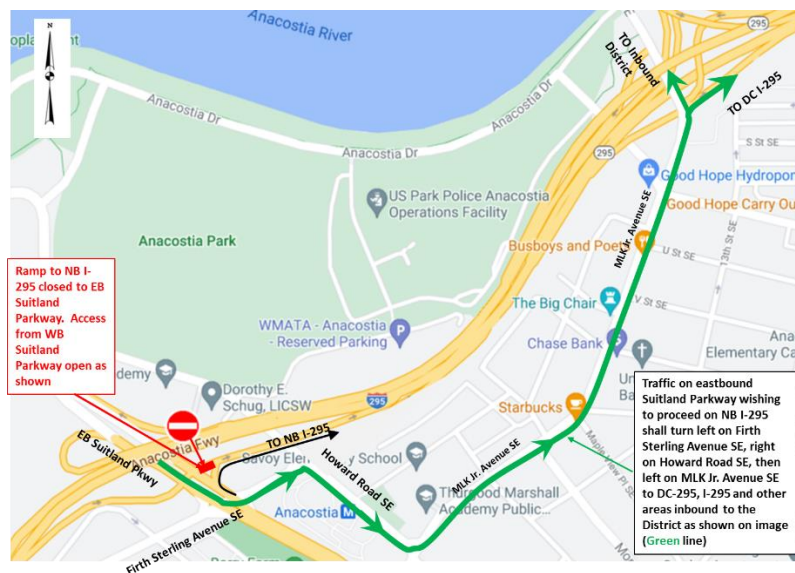
Northbound South Capitol St SE will be closed at Firth Sterling Avenue SE from 6:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 26 and Sunday, February 27 for roadway construction. A marked detour will be in place during these closures.

Northbound South Capitol St SE Closure & Detour



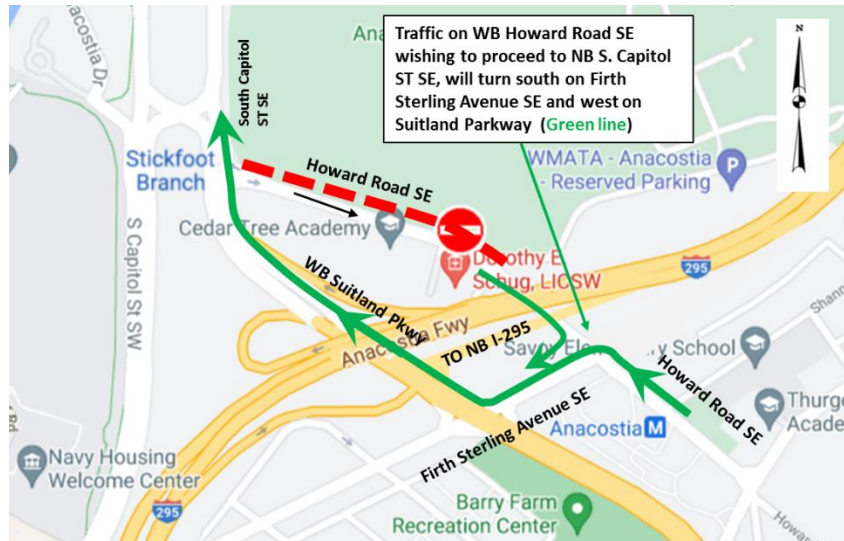
The ramp from eastbound Suitland Parkway to I-295 northbound will be closed from 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. on Monday night, February 21 for overhead sign construction. A marked detour will be in place during these closures.

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



Westbound Howard Road will be closed from DC Mental Health to Suitland Parkway from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 26 and Sunday, February 27. Access to the WMATA Parking Garage will be maintained. A signed detour will be provided as shown below.

Westbound Howard Road SE 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.

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For more information about DDOT's ongoing efforts to improve the 295 corridor, visit <http://www.improving295dc.com>.

The mission of the District Department of Transportation (DDOT) is to enhance the quality of life for District residents and visitors by ensuring that people, goods, and information move efficiently and safely with minimal adverse impact on residents and the environment.

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