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## **East Washington Street Closure**

SUFFOLK, VA-(January 14, 2009) East Washington Street, from Liberty Street to Franklin Street, will be closed to through traffic from January 20-22, 2009 for the installation of utility services for the new Health and Human Services Building. During this time, traffic will be detoured by utilizing Liberty Street, Bank Street, and Franklin Street.

Construction of the Health and Human Services Building is proceeding on schedule. As part of the project, a new 12-inch water main is being installed within Hall Avenue, which will connect to the City's existing 12-inch and 16-inch water lines located within East Washington Street.

For more information, please contact the Department of Public Utilities at 514-7001 or the Department of Media and Community Relations at 514-4102.