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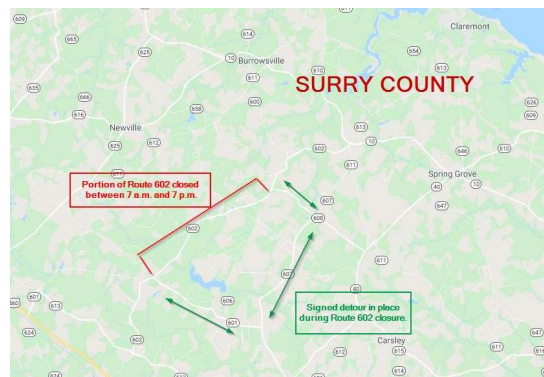
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## PORTION OF ROUTE 602 IN SURRY COUNTY TO CLOSE DAILY FOR PAVEMENT IMPROVEMENT

*Detour in place, with road to reopen to traffic each night*

**SURRY COUNTY** - Beginning as early as March 16, contractor crews for Virginia Department of Transportation will begin pavement improvements along a portion of Route 602 (Laurel Springs Road) in Surry County.

Crews will close Route 602 to through traffic daily between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. between Route 601 (Laurel Road) and Route 608 (Oak Hill Road).



A signed detour will be in place on Route 602 to allow motorists to get around the closure. The detour route will utilize Route 601 (Laurel Road), Route 607 (Huntington Road) to Route 608 (Oak Hill Road).

Access to properties within the work zone will be maintained at all times.

Work is scheduled to be completed by spring 2020, weather permitting.

As part of this work, contractor crews will be using a sustainable method called full-depth reclamation (FDR) to improve pavement conditions. FDR is an innovative process that will recycle

the pavement from the existing lanes back into the new pavement structure.

The existing asphalt layers will be pulverized, the material will be processed and compacted with a stabilizing agent, and the end product will be used to create a new base followed by an overlay placed on top.

This process saves significant time, money and materials by reusing resources, reducing the amount of new and old materials being transported, and performing the recycling and reconstruction process on-site.

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