

NCDOT Announces Upcoming Traffic Shift On U.S. 1/64 In Cary

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Raleigh, NC (PRWEB) May 1, 2005 -- The N.C. Department of Transportation (NCDOT) has announced that it will temporarily shift southbound U.S. 1 traffic the weekend of April 29 to the adjacent lanes that provide access to Walnut Street. The new pattern will affect southbound motorists between the I-40 and Walnut Street exits and will allow for the construction of the new southbound lanes. This pattern will be in place until September 2005.

While work is performed to shift traffic, motorists will be detoured using the Walnut Street ramps.

The U.S. 1/64 widening project is a \$58 million project, that is anticipated to be completed in late 2006 and will improve U.S. 1/64 from south of the I-40 interchange to the U.S. 64/Tryon Road interchange in Cary.

The NCDOT reminds motorists to stay alert in the U.S. 1/64 work zone, obey the posted speed limit of 55 mph, be aware of construction workers and watch signs for construction information. The fine for speeding in the work zone is \$250 and three driver license points.

Motorists can visit the project website <u>www.us1wake.com</u>, for news and updates regarding the project. Website users also can register to receive e-mail updates about the U.S. 1/64 improvement project. For printed copies of the updates, call the project information line at 1-888-303-3101.

For more information about this project, contact the toll-free information line at 1-888-303-3101. For more information about other NCDOT projects, call 1-877-DOT-4YOU.

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