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DC PLUG 15001 Conduit and Structure Installation

(Washington, DC) — The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) is alerting all stakeholders to expect intermittent lane shifts and closures continuing across phase 1 and 2 of the DC PLUG Feeder Footprint as crews continue to underground electrical systems in the 16th Street Heights neighborhood (see map below). Residents can expect these intermittent closures to appear along:

- **Blagden Avenue NW** between Matthewson Drive NW and 16th Street NW.
- **Colorado Avenue NW** between Colorado Avenue NW (deadend) and 17th Street NW, as well as, Kennedy Street NW and Longfellow Street NW
- **Decatur Street NW** between 17th Street NW and 18th Street NW
- **Longfellow Street NW** between Colorado Avenue NW and 13th Street NW
- **14th Street NW** between Kennedy Street NW and Emerson Street NW
- **Madison Street NW** between 13th street NW and Georgia Avenue NW
- **Emerson Street NW** between 13th street NW and 14th Street NW

These intermittent lane closures are necessary to install electrical structures such as: electrical conduit, Manholes, Tapholes, and Transformer Enclosures, required for the undergrounding of the primary electrical network. This work is taking place as a part of the DC PLUG Feeder 15001 Project.

Please expect delays. Traffic controls, including signage, will be in place to guide motorists, bicyclists, and pedestrians safely through the work zone. All users of the roadway are advised to stay alert and be observant of signage and work zones while traveling in this area.

The completed project will improve the reliability and resiliency of the District of Columbia electric system by placing select overhead primary lines underground. Feeders are primary distribution power lines that provide services to approximately 1,300 residents within a specific neighborhood.

For more information about this project and to stay up to date on traffic impacts and construction progress, please visit <https://www.dcpluinfo.com/feeder-15001>

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