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CONSTRUCTION TO BEGIN ON SECOND SEGMENT OF I-64 WIDENING PROJECT *Shoulder strengthening work to begin Wednesday, October 26*

NEWPORT NEWS —Construction will begin Wednesday, October 26, on the second of three segments to widen Interstate 64 in Newport News, James City County and York County.

The second operationally-independent segment is a \$138.8 million project awarded to Allan Myers, VA Inc., that will add a lane and shoulder in each direction for more than 7 miles between 1 mile west of Route 199 Humelsine Parkway (exit 242) and where the Segment I project ends at 0.54 miles east of Route 238 Yorktown Road (exit 247). Initial work will include shoulder strengthening work beginning in the eastbound direction for approximately two weeks, followed by similar work in the westbound direction.

Starting Wednesday, October 26, through Thursday, October 27, eastbound single-lane closures are scheduled on I-64 between Camp Peary (exit 238) and Yorktown Road (exit 247), starting as early as 8 p.m. until 5 a.m. the following morning. One travel lane in each direction will remain open to traffic at all times.

On Thursday, October 27, the I-64 eastbound on- and off-ramps to Route 199 (exit 242A) will be closed from 8 p.m. until 5 a.m. the following morning. Ramp traffic will be detoured around the closures using the interchange loop ramps.

All construction work is dependent upon weather conditions.

To minimize inconvenience to motorists, no daytime lane closures are planned at this time. Lane closures and construction information will be announced weekly. Project information and construction updates will also be available on the VDOT website at <http://i64widening.org/> and on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#).

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