



**MD 175 (Annapolis Road) at
MD 713 (Rockenbach Road/Ridge Road)
and Disney Road/26th Street Utility Work
Project Information**



Anne Arundel County, Maryland

July 2010

Project Information

Utility Work Begins Summer 2010

Over the next nine months, several utility companies will make room for roadway improvements on MD 175 by relocating their equipment and utility lines. The Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE) will begin in July, and will be followed shortly after by Verizon, Comcast, and others. This utility work is in anticipation of two major roadway improvements on MD 175 between MD 295 and Macarthur Road.

BRS/EGGERL, LLC, a development company building the Parkside Development, will begin a construction project this summer to widen MD 175 between MD 295 (Baltimore Washington Parkway) and the Ridgeview Shopping Center just west of MD 713. This widening will result in an extra through lane in each direction and a center turn lane.

SHA Roadway Improvements Begin Spring 2011

The utility work ties into the Maryland State Highway Administration's (SHA) upcoming improvements along MD 175 from MD 713 to MacArthur Road, and the intersections of MD 175 with both MD 713 and Disney Road. SHA expects to begin construction in Spring 2011 after utilities have been relocated, and complete it by Fall 2012, weather permitting.

These improvements are intended to mitigate for traffic generated by local development and the Fort George G. Meade Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC).

Temporary Lane Closures

During utility and roadway construction, motorists can expect temporary single-lane closures along MD 175, MD 713, and/or Disney Road as follows:

Monday through Friday: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Occasional Night Work: 9 p.m. – 5 a.m.

All lanes will remain open during the peak travel hours of 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Questions/Comments

The following SHA representatives are available to answer your questions regarding BRAC-related improvements in Fort Meade.

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For Additional Information
on BRAC-related improvements around Fort Meade, visit www.mdot.maryland.gov. Click on MDOT Program Highlights/ BRAC Transportation Action Plan

Request for Assistance
The Maryland Relay Service can assist teletype users at 7-1-1. SHA will provide a telephonic interpreter for those who need assistance with the English language.

For up-to-date information on the latest Anne Arundel County projects, sign up for a **quarterly E-newsletter**. Please contact Mr. Robert Rager to be added to the Anne Arundel County project e-mailing list.

SHA representatives are also available to meet with your civic or homeowner's association for any SHA project or roadway. Please notify Mr. Rager at least two weeks before the meeting, and include which project or roadway you are interested in.

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SHA reminds motorists to reduce speeds, stay alert, and use caution while driving through work zones. When workers are on the road, "think orange," the color of construction signs, barrels, and warning devices. Choose to make work zone safety your business at www.choosesafetyforlife.com.



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