

NEWS RELEASE

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Section of Third Street Closes to Through Traffic From August 1 to 17, 2018

Summary

To accommodate road work, Third Street between Wakesiah Ave and Howard Ave will be closed to through traffic. This closure will be in effect 24 hours a day between August 1 to 17, 2018. Through traffic will be rerouted to Fourth Street, and commuters are also encouraged to consider alternate routes.

There will also be a period of time where there will be single-lane alternating traffic and some night work at the intersection of Wakesiah Ave and Third Street.

Strategic Link: This work supports the City of Nanaimo's commitment to improved transportation and infrastructure.

Key Points

- The section of Third Street between Howard and Wakesiah Ave will be open to local traffic during the closure. A detour will be in place sending through traffic to Fourth Street.
- RDN Transit will be putting a bus detour in place during the closure.

Quotes

"The road work is being undertaken as part of a new residential development at 525 Third Street. Closing the road during construction allows the work to be completed quickly and efficiently, reducing the overall time traffic will be disrupted."

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