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(Washington, DC)—The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) will shift the traffic pattern on I-295 southbound at the ramp to Exit 4A Suitland Parkway / JBAB on or about **Sunday, April 19, 2020**, Exit 4A traffic will shift onto the new roadway bridge, approximately 1,000 feet before the existing exit ramp as shown in the below graphic.

In order to implement this shift, DDOT will close Exit 4A - Suitland Parkway / US Naval Station and up to two lanes on southbound I-295 between I-695 and Exit 4A Suitland Parkway / US Naval Station. Marked detours will be in place during the closure. This activity will take place from **7:00 pm, Friday, April 17th, 2020 through 12:00 noon, Monday, April 20th, 2020**, weather permitting.

This traffic shift is necessary for construction activities associated with the South Capitol Street Corridor Project which includes construction of the New Frederick Douglass Memorial Bridge and the reconstruction of the I-295/Suitland Parkway interchange.

Motorists are advised to stay alert and follow signage when traveling through this area.



For more information about DDOT's ongoing efforts to improve the 295 corridor, visit www.improving295dc.com.

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