CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ALERT

MEMORIAL TO ENSLAVED LABORERS

Items of Interest: Hospital Drive, Long Walk, Hotel B, Brooks Hall

Project Background: Sited within the “Triangle of Grass” east of Brooks Hall, the Memorial to Enslaved Laborers seeks to formally acknowledge the work and the individual lives of the enslaved African Americans who built and sustained the every-day life of the University during the antebellum era. An 80’ diameter circular monument constructed of local granite, the Memorial will create a space to gather, reflect, acknowledge, and honor these enslaved people. The design is a collaboration between Höweler + Yoon Architecture, Dr. Mabel O. Wilson (Studio&), Gregg Bleam Landscape Architect, Dr. Frank Dukes, and artist Eto Otitigbe. For more information, please visit the project website: http://www.virginia.edu/slaverymemorial/index.html

Schedule: December 10, 2018 – September 30, 2019

Impacts: Weather permitting, work will be required outside of the fenced MEL construction area from February 13-15, 2019 to enable sanitary manhole installation.

- **Wed, Feb 13**: A single M15 parking space on Hospital Drive must be closed to provide access to a manhole. The space will be cordoned off at 6am and will be re-opened at approximately 1pm. Applicable signage will be provided to alert permit holders in advance. In addition, a sanitary discharge hose will be extended across the Long Walk on this date. A temporary ramp will be used to provide barrier-free access over the hose.
- **Thurs, Feb 14**: Vacuum Truck will be positioned to the east of Hotel B to collect sanitary sewer flow from the manhole at this location. Proper signs will be utilized warning of the operational presence.
- **Fri, Feb 15**: Vacuum Truck will be positioned north of Brooks Hall to collect sanitary sewer flow from the manhole at this location. Proper signs will be utilized warning of the operational presence.

See attached site plan for additional details

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