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**Item 614, Maintaining Traffic (Lane Closure/Reduction Required)**

LANE CLOSURES AND RESTRICTIONS SHALL ADHERE TO THE TIMES LISTED IN THE LANE VALUE CONTRACT TABLES. THE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE CLOSURE LENGTH IS *2 MILES* AT ANY GIVEN TIME. CLOSURES OR RESTRICTIONS SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE ROADWAY AT THE END OF WORKING HOURS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE PLANS OR APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. LANE CLOSURES OR RESTRICTIONS SHALL BE LIMITED TO AREAS WHERE WORK IS BEING PERFORMED. IT IS THE INTENT TO MINIMIZE THE IMPACT TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC. THE LEVEL OF UTILIZATION OF MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC DEVICES SHALL BE COMMENSURATE WITH THE WORK IN PROGRESS.

**Designer Note:**This note shall be added to the**Item 614 Maintaining Traffic**note ***(Section 642-2)*** if lane closures, or restrictions are required. The typical values for miles closed should be 2 miles while the typical duration of hours closed should be normal working hours. When determining the miles and hours for a maximum allowable closure it is important to understand traffic volumes and typical traffic behavior for each given area.