



Traffic Advisory

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I-264 DOWNTOWN TUNNEL CLOSURE SCHEDULE

Tunnel open for Labor Day weekend

PORTSMOUTH– [The Elizabeth River Tunnels](#) (ERT) Project team, in partnership with the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT), is currently rehabilitating the Interstate 264 (I-264) Downtown Tunnel during full nightly closures westbound and single lane nightly closures eastbound. **The full nightly tunnel closure of the I-264 West Downtown Tunnel originally scheduled for tonight, Thursday, Aug. 28, has been cancelled.** Work will continue as scheduled in the I-264 East Downtown Tunnel tonight within a single lane closure.

The Downtown Tunnel will remain open to traffic in both directions Labor Day weekend, Aug. 29-Sept. 1, with construction activities resuming on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

The Downtown Tunnel **westbound** to Portsmouth closure schedule is as follows:

- **Single lane closures:** Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 3-4, from 8 p.m. each night until 5 a.m. the following morning.

The Downtown Tunnel **eastbound** to Norfolk closure schedule is as follows:

- **Full direction closures:**
 - Aug. 29-Sept. 1: No scheduled closures
 - Sept. 5-8: No scheduled closures
 - Sept. 12-15: Closed Friday at 8 p.m. until Monday at 5 a.m.
 - Sept. 19-21: Closed Friday at 8 p.m. until Monday at 5 a.m.
- **Single lane closures:** Tuesday through Thursday, Sept. 2-4 from 8 p.m. each night until 5 a.m. the following morning.

Due to the nature of construction, closure dates are subject to change. Get the latest updates on construction activities at the Downtown Tunnel by visiting the [ERT Rehabilitation Work](#) page or [Flickr](#) site.

Motorists are encouraged to visit www.511Virginia.org, call 511 or the VDOT Traffic Information Line at 757-361-3016, and listen to the Hampton Roads Highway Advisory Radio (HAR) 1680 AM for current traffic and travel information.

Headquartered in Portsmouth, Virginia, Elizabeth River Crossings OpCo, LLC, is the private partner of the Virginia Department of Transportation for the design, construction, finance, operations and maintenance of the Elizabeth River Tunnels Project, with SKW Constructors, JV as design-build contractor. For more information on the Elizabeth River Tunnels Project, visit www.DriveERT.com. Follow us on [Twitter](#).

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