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Traffic Advisory

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Traffic signals will be out of service on SW Naito Parkway at SW Harrison Street intersection

Portland, OR -- The traffic signals on SW Naito Parkway at the intersection of SW Harrison Street must be shut off for an emergency relocation of the signals' electrical conduit. Starting at **9:00 AM** on **Thursday, February 16, 2012**, a crew from the Portland Bureau of Maintenance will move the wire out of the path of the Portland Water Bureau's new water supply pipeline, now under construction. It is estimated the repairs will be completed by 5:00 pm on Thursday.

Traffic flaggers will be stationed to move vehicles through the intersection, but motorists should expect delays. This traffic signal power conduit was unexpectantly located at a depth of seven feet, not the normal two feet below the pavement.

The Portland Water Bureau is installing a 36-inch diameter steel water supply pipeline on SW Naito Parkway, from SW Clay Street to SW Caruthers Street. The night work -- 8:00 pm to 6:00 am -- on SW Naito will take several more weeks to complete.

Motorists and bicyclists are encouraged to find alternate routes to avoid this work zone.

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