

2025 DDOT Public Space Suspension of Work Calendar

District of Columbia Legal Public Holidays

In observance of legal public holidays and pursuant to section 103.01 Article 17 item C of the District’s Manual for Standard Specifications for Highways and Structures, there will be a suspension of work in the District of Columbia. Lane closures and public space restrictions are not allowed for non-emergency work on roadways and sidewalks within the District’s public right-of-way. This includes manhole access and construction related deliveries. Approved activities may resume the day after the public holiday, during permitted work hours.

Calendar Year 2025 - Legal Public Holidays		Public Space Suspension of Work		
New Year's Day	Wednesday, January 1	12:00AM	Tuesday, December 31 Thru Wednesday, January 1, 2025	
Birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.	Monday, January 20	12:00AM	Monday, January 20	
Presidential Inauguration	Monday, January 20	12:00AM	Monday, January 20	
Washington’s Birthday	Monday, February 17	12:00AM	Monday, February 17	
D.C. Emancipation Day	Wednesday, April 16	12:00AM	Wednesday, April 16	
Memorial Day	Monday, May 26	12:00AM	Monday, May 26	
Juneteenth National Independence Day	Thursday, June 19	12:00AM	Thursday, June 19	
Independence Day	Friday, July 4	12:00PM	Thursday, July 3	Thru Friday, July 4
Labor Day	Monday, September 1	12:00PM	Monday, September 1	
Indigenous Peoples’ Day	Monday, October 13	12:00AM	Monday, October 13	
Veterans Day	Tuesday, November 11	12:00AM	Tuesday, November 11	
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 27	12:00PM	Wednesday, November 26	Thru Thursday, November 27
Christmas Day	Thursday, December 25	12:00PM	Wednesday, December 24	Thru Thursday, December 25

In addition to the above Legal Public Holidays, the Mayor (or his or her designee) may designate other days or portions of the day as a legal public holiday or issue a suspension of work notice due to citywide activities and/or inclement weather. Failure to comply with a Suspension of Work Order is a violation of District of Columbia Municipal Regulations. This violation may result in the revocation of all public space permits and the assessment of associated fines.

*The legal public holiday is Saturday; it will be observed on the preceding Friday. **The legal public holiday is Sunday; it will be observed on the following Monday.

This calendar is subject to change without notice.