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**PORTION OF EAST OWEN AVENUE TO BE CLOSED AUG. 30-31**

**WAKE FOREST, NC – August 27, 2010** – A portion of East Owen Avenue will be closed Monday and Tuesday next week while work crews continue efforts to remove and replace the existing storm drain.

The Town scheduled the work to be completed in phases to reduce overall public impact. The approach will continue to allow Fidelity Bank and Wake Forest Federal Savings and Loan customers to access their bank's parking lot while the work is being performed.

Motorists and pedestrians are encouraged to avoid the area during these times and utilize an alternative route.

For more information, contact Public Works & Utilities Director Mike Barton at (919) 435-9571.

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