



Memorandum

To: Ms. Karen Sphar, Director, Southport/Oak Island Chamber of Commerce
From: Chief J. V. Dove
Date: 05/04/11
Re: Traffic Flow Patterns for July 4th Festival

As you requested, I have prepared the traffic flow patterns for this year's Fourth of July celebration. Every consideration has been given to expedite the safe movement of vehicle and pedestrian traffic.

In the past, we have not had a traffic problem with visitors coming into the festival area. Therefore, the traffic flow pattern has been designed to aid motorists that are leaving Southport, particularly after the fireworks and closing of the festival.

The (2) two main exit routes from Southport will be NC 211 (Howe Street) and East Moore Street. Motorists using East Moore Street will be directed to Leonard Street and Jabbertown Road. From Jabbertown Road to NC 87/133, only right turns will be allowed.

In Summary:

- **Right turns only** at Jabbertown Road and NC 87/133
- NC 87 and Doshier Cut-Off at Progress Energy, **straight ahead and left turn only**
- NC 211 and NC 87 (Sawdust Trail), **straight ahead or right turn only**
- NC 211 and Doshier Cut-Off, **straight ahead or right turn only**

After the fireworks, some traffic will be directed from Leonard Street and Moore Street to Jabbertown Road, especially for visitors who are traveling to Boiling Spring Lakes, Wilmington and all other points north.

Officers will be placed at key locations and information signs will be set up at several points directing motorists to different destinations. Attached you will find a map that highlights the main exit routes.

I would like to remind all travelers and visitors to our City to follow the instructions of the Officers directing traffic after the fireworks.