



# LOUISVILLE METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Special Operations Division

Special Events Unit

410 South Fifth Street · Louisville, Kentucky 40202

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# ROAD CLOSURES, RESTRICTED ACCESS and NO PARKING AREAS

## THUNDER OVER LOUISVILLE WEEKEND

Friday, April 21, through Sunday, April 23, 2023

*Thunder Over Louisville is considered the largest annual fireworks show in the United States. The event kicks off the two-week Kentucky Derby Festival, and is expected to draw crowds of nearly 700,000 in Downtown and Southern Indiana to observe the air show (1500 hrs) and fireworks (2130 hrs). The concentration of people is located in an approximately one square mile area in Waterfront Park, which includes riverside, boats, businesses, and hotels in downtown Louisville. The event also features an Air Show.*

**ROAD CLOSED / RESTRICTED ACCESS from Thursday, April 20, 09:45 AM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, at 2:00 PM**

**On the following streets:**

2nd St/Clark Memorial Bridge	from	W. Main St	to	W Riverside Dr	Official Vehicles Only

**ROAD CLOSED / RESTRICTED ACCESS from Friday, April 21, 10:30 AM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 8:00 AM**

**On the following streets:**

W River Rd	from	N 2nd St	to	N 6th St	*local access from 2nd to Joe's Crab Shack until 12:00 AM Sat
Witherspoon	from	N Preston	to	N Brook	Official Vehicles Only
E River Rd	from	N Preston	to	Witherspoon	Official Vehicles Only
Bingham Way	from	W River Rd	to	Witherspoon	Official Vehicles Only
N Floyd St	from	Witherspoon	to	Washington	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only

**INTERSTATE RAMP CLOSED from Saturday, April 22, 12:00 AM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 8:00 AM**

**At the following:**

3rd St RAMP EXIT from I-64 West
2nd St RAMP ENTRANCE to I-64 East

**ROAD CLOSED from Saturday, April 22, 12:00 AM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 8:00 AM**

**On the following streets:**

N 2nd St	from	Witherspoon	to	W River Rd	

**ROAD CLOSED / RESTRICTED ACCESS from Saturday, April 22, 9:00 AM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 8:00 AM**

**On the following streets:**

N 3rd St	from	Main St	to	W River Rd	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
N 2nd St	from	Main St	to	Witherspoon	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
N 1st St	from	Main St	to	Witherspoon	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
N Brook St	from	Main St	to	Witherspoon	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
N Floyd St	from	Main St	to	Washington	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
N Preston St	from	Main St	to	Witherspoon	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
Witherspoon	from	N Brook St	to	2nd St	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
Witherspoon	from	N Preston St	to	Adams	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
Washington	from	1st St	to	2nd St	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only

Armory Pl	from	Liberty	to	M Ali Blvd	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
<b>ROAD CLOSED / RESTRICTED ACCESS from Saturday, April 22, 1:00 PM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 09:00 AM</b>					
<b>On the following streets:</b>					
Washington	from	N Preston	to	N 1st St	Official or Permitted Vehicles Only
<b>BRIDGE CLOSED from Saturday, April 22, 5:00 PM through 10:30 PM (approximate)</b>					
<b>at the following:</b>					
Kennedy Bridge	at	I-65 North			
<b>ROAD CLOSED / RESTRICTED ACCESS from Saturday, April 22, 6:30 PM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 02:00 AM</b>					
<b>On the following streets:</b>					
S 2nd St	from	Main St	to	Jacob	Emergency Vehicles ONLY
M Ali Blvd	from	Clay St	to	Roy Wilkins (9th St)	Emergency Vehicles ONLY
<b>BRIDGE CLOSED from Saturday, April 22, 7:00 PM through 10:30 PM (approximate)</b>					
<b>at the following:</b>					
Kennedy Bridge	at	I-65 South			
<b>INTERSTATES CLOSED from Saturday, April 22, 8:30 PM through 11:30 PM (approximate)</b>					
<b>at the following:</b>					
I-65 North	from	I-264 (Watterson Expy)	to	I-64	
I-65 South (INDIANA)	from	I-265	to	I-64 (KENTUCKY)	
I-64 West	from	I-264 (Watterson Expy)	to	22nd St	
I-64 East	from	I-264 (Shawnee Expy)	to	I-65	
<b>INTERSTATE RAMPS CLOSED from Saturday, April 22, 8:30 PM through 11:30 PM (approximate)</b>					
<b>at the following:</b>					
Preston St RAMP ENTRANCE to I-65 North					
St Catherine St RAMP ENTRANCE to I-65 North					
M Ali Blvd RAMP ENTRANCE to I-65 North					
9th St RAMP ENTRANCE to I-64 East					
9th St RAMP ENTRANCE to I-64 West					
22nd St RAMP ENTRANCE to I-64 East					
Zorn Ave RAMP ENTRANCE to I-71 South (toward downtown)					
Grinstead Dr RAMP ENTRANCE to I-64 West					
Cannons Ln RAMP ENTRANCE to I-64 West					
<b>ROAD DIRECTION CHANGES from Saturday, April 22, 9:00 PM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 01:00 AM</b>					
<b>at the following:</b>					
Market St	from	6th St	to	10th St	REVERSED FROM EASTBOUND TO WESTBOUND
3rd St	from	Main	to	Broadway	CONVERTED TO ONE-WAY SOUTHBOUND
<b>NO STOPPING ANYTIME from Friday, April 21, 10:00 AM through Sunday, April 23, 2023, 12:00 AM</b>					
<b>On the following streets:</b>					
W River Rd	from	8th St	to	Bingham Way	

Bingham Way	from	W River Rd	to	Witherspoon	
Witherspoon	from	Bingham Way	to	N Preston St	
E River Rd	from	N Preston St	to	Witherspoon	
<b>NO STOPPING ANYTIME on Saturday, April 22</b>					
<b>On the following streets:</b>					
River Rd	from	Witherspoon	to	Blankenbaker Ln	
Witherspoon St	from	2nd St	to	River Rd	
Washington St	from	2nd St	to	Preston St	
Main St	from	Story Ave	to	22nd St	
Market	from	Baxter Ave	to	10th St	
Jefferson St	from	Preston St	to	Roy Wilkins (9th St)	
Liberty	from	Baxter Ave	to	Roy Wilkins (9th St)	
M Ali Blvd	from	Clay St	to	Roy Wilkins (9th St)	
Chestnut	from	1st St	to	Roy Wilkins (9th St)	
Broadway	from	Barrett Ave	to	12th St	
Jacob St	from	2nd St	to	1st St	
Kentucky St	from	6th St	to	4th St	
Oak St	from	Floyd St	to	8th St	* South Side Only
Jackson St	from	Main St	to	Market St	
Preston St	from	Witherspoon	to	Woodbine	
Floyd St	from	Witherspoon	to	M Ali Blvd	
Brook St	from	Witherspoon	to	M Ali Blvd	
1st St	from	Witherspoon	to	College	
1st St	from	College	to	Cardinal	*West Side Only
2nd St	from	Main St	to	College	
3rd St	from	W River Rd	to	Eastern Pkwy	
4th St	from	River Rd	to	Winkler Ave	
5th St	from	Main St	to	Broadway	
Armory Place	from	Liberty	to	M Ali Blvd	
6th St	from	River Rd	to	Hill St	
7th St	from	Washington	to	Liberty	
7th St	from	Myrtle	to	Algonquin Pkwy	
8th	from	Washington	to	Broadway	
9th	from	Main St	to	Market	
Roy Wilkins Blvd	from	Market	to	Myrtle	
15th St	from	Main St	to	Portland Ave	
22nd St	from	Bank St	to	Northwestern Pkwy	
Portland Ave	from	15th St	to	22nd St	*North Side Only
Baxter Ave	from	Main St	to	Broadway	
S Johnson St	from	Market	to	Story Ave	
Lexington Rd	from	Baxter Ave	to	Payne St	
Mellewood Ave	from	Spring St	to	Zorn Ave	
Story Ave	from	Main St	to	Frankfort	

Adams St	from	Witherspoon	to	Story Ave	
Spring St	from	Story Ave	to	Lexington Ave	
Frankfort Ave	from	River Rd	to	Story Ave	
Baxter Ave	from	Broadway	to	Highland Ave	*West Side Only
Bardstown Rd	from	Broadway	to	Taylorsville Rd	*West Side Only
Campbell	from	Adams	to	Water	