



# LOUISVILLE METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Special Operations Division

Special Events Unit

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Major Mindy Vance · Division Commander



### ROAD CLOSURES, RESTRICTED ACCESS and NO PARKING AREAS

#### 149<sup>th</sup> KENTUCKY DERBY

Wednesday, May 3, through Saturday, May 6, 2023

The 148th Kentucky Derby and related Derby-weekend events will occur May 4-6, 2023, at Churchill Downs, capping the three-week-long Kentucky Derby Festival (KDF). The KDF is Kentucky's largest festival, historically attracting 1.5 million people throughout the three weeks. Held annually on the first Saturday in May, the Kentucky Derby horse race is known throughout the world as "The Most Exciting Two Minutes in Sports." It is the first leg of the American Triple Crown of horse races and has the distinction of running uninterrupted since the first Kentucky Derby race in 1875. Over \$200 million is wagered on the race, with 150,000 patrons attending the event at Churchill Downs and millions watching worldwide. Based on ticket sales to date, Churchill Downs projects records crowds starting Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup> with approximately 60,000 expected to attend "Thurby," 120,000 for Oaks Day, and as many as 150,000 on Derby Day.

**Wednesday, May 3, through Saturday, May 6, 2023**

**ROAD CLOSED and NO STOPPING ANYTIME**

**On the following streets:**

4th St	from	Heywood Ave	to	Oakdale Ave	
Oakdale Ave	from	4th St	to	alley at CD Backside Gate	

**RESTRICTED TRAFFIC and NO STOPPING ANYTIME from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 3, through Saturday, May 6, 2023**

**On the following streets:**

Central Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Floyd St	Permitted Vehicles Only
9th St	from	Central Ave	to	Heywood Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
North Alley of Central Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Rodman St	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Burton Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Rodman St	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Lillian Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Rodman St	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Rodman St	from	Central Ave	to	Lillian Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
6th St	from	Central Ave	to	Heywood Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
5th St	from	Central Ave	to	Heywood Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
4th St	from	Central Ave	to	Heywood Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
3rd St	from	Central Ave	to	Brook St	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
3rd St	from	Central Ave	to	Central Station	Permitted Vehicles Only
Oakdale Ave	from	3rd St/Southern Pkwy	to	alley at CD Backside Gate	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
West Alley south of Brown Lot	from	3rd St/Southern Pkwy	to	4th St	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
4th St	from	West Alley	to	Longfield	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Longfield Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	4th St	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Queen Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Warren Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Thornberry	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Warren Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Homeview Dr	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Churchill Downs entrance	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Racine Dr	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Churchill Downs entrance	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Wizard Ave	from	Longfield	to	Queen Ave	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only
Warren Ave	from	Thornberry	to	Homeview	Residents, Guests, or Permitted Vehicles Only

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**On the following streets:**

Winkler Ave	from	Algonquin	to	3rd St	
3rd St	from	Brook St	to	Cardinal Blvd	
3rd St	from	Central Station	to	Southern Heights	
Southern Pkwy	from	3rd St	to	Southern Heights	
Winn Ave	from	4th St	to	Southern Pkwy	
5th St	from	Longfield Ave	to	Florence Ave	

**NO STOPPING ANYTIME** from Wednesday, May 4, through Saturday, May 7, 2023

**On the following streets:**

Kenton Ave	from	5th St	to	Southern Pkwy	
Evelyn Ave	from	5th St	to	Southern Pkwy	
Fairmont Ave	from	5th St	to	Southern Pkwy	
Whitney Ave	from	5th St	to	Southern Pkwy	
Lansing Ave	from	5th St	to	Southern Pkwy	
Taylor Blvd	from	Ashland Ave	to	Algonquin	
Arcade Ave	from	Taylor Blvd	to	7th St	
Dearcy Ave	from	Longfield Ave	to	Queen Ave	
Bohannon Ave	from	Racine Dr	to	Queen Ave	
Homeview Dr	from	Taylor Blvd	to	Churchill Down entrance	