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SENECA DMV OFFICE CLOSED FOR EMERGENCY REPAIRS

Blythewood, S.C., September 29, 2005 - The South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles will close the Seneca field office located at 13009 South Radio Station Road on Friday, September 30, due to a major leak in a ceiling pipe. Although the office is open for service today, employees are only able to serve customers in a limited capacity.

“We are offering what services we can as long as it is safe for us to do so,” said Marcia Adams, SCDMV Executive Director. “We were unable to process on-the-spot credentials such as driver’s licenses or identification cards earlier today. However, that issue has been resolved. We know it’s an inconvenience so we’re trying to do everything we can to meet the needs of our customers.”

SCDMV plans to reopen the office for business on Monday, October 3 in a modular unit located in the office parking lot. The modular unit is already in place in preparation for a previously scheduled renovation.

“The office was already scheduled for renovation work next week,” said Mrs. Adams. “The leak has moved our schedule up a week, but we have crews ready to make the move on Friday and Saturday.”

Customers seeking services on Friday, September 30 should visit the SCDMV field offices located at 2133 Gentry Memorial Highway in Pickens or at 331 29-By-Pass North in Anderson. Signs regarding the office closing will be posted as a reminder to customers. The modular unit will offer the same services that are currently available in the Seneca field office.

SCDMV customers also have to option of processing many transactions online at the agency website www.scdmvonline.com.

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