



## **FORT GEORGE G. MEADE NEWS RELEASE**

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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

#### **Traffic Delays**

FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., - A change to the traffic patterns at multiple Access Control Points on Fort Meade has caused unexpected delays. The changes, implemented Wed. evening, have caused traffic to back up along HWY 175, here today. The delays do not impact the ability to enter the installation for those authorized to do so, however garrison officials suggest budgeting more travel time.

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#### **BACKGROUND**

Fort George G. Meade is celebrating the installation's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Established in 1917, Fort Meade is now the largest employer in the state of Maryland and with more than 56,000 employees, is the third largest Army installation in the continental United States in terms of personnel. We are the home to all branches of military service; Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine and Coast Guard and serve as the home for 119 partner organizations including U. S. Cyber Command, the National Security Agency, the Defense Information Systems Agency, the Defense Information School as well as federal agencies like the Environmental Protection Agency Environmental Science Center.

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