For Immediate Release
December 6, 2019

Central and West Central Florida
Weekly Lane Closures and Work Zone Advisory

Ocoee, Fla. – Florida’s Turnpike announces lane closures and work zone information for construction and maintenance projects in Central Florida beginning Sunday, December 8. Motorists should drive with caution through work zones and adhere to posted detour signs and speed limits. Please pay special attention to the full closures noted in red.

*WEST CENTRAL FLORIDA*

HILLSBOROUGH, PASCO AND HERNANDO COUNTIES

TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE

Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 at County Line Road/CR 578 (Exit 37)
Overnight full road closure, 9 p.m. Monday, December 9, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, December 10. If necessary to complete the work, this closure may also occur from 9 p.m. Tuesday, December 10, to 5 a.m. Wednesday, December 11.

Detour information:
- Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 traffic wishing to continue south will be directed to exit at County Line Road (Exit 37), travel west on County Line Road to US 41, travel south on US 41 to SR 52 and travel west on SR 52 to access southbound Suncoast Parkway.

CENTRAL FLORIDA DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGNS (DMS) IMPROVEMENTS AND REPLACEMENTS

Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at CR 37B/Lakeland Highlands Road (Mileposts 7 to 9)
Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 5 a.m. Monday, December 9; and 10 p.m. Monday, December 9, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, December 10.
**Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at CR 37B/Lakeland Highlands Road (Exit 9)**
Overnight full road closure, 11:59 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 4 a.m. Monday, December 9.
If necessary to complete the work, this closure may also occur from 11:59 p.m., Monday, December 9, to 4 a.m., Tuesday, December 10.

**Detour information:**
- Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 traffic wishing to continue east will be directed to exit at CR 37B/Lakeland Highlands Road (Exit 9) and continue east to access eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570.

**Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 from SR 540/Winter Lake Road and US 98/Bartow Road (Mileposts 14 to 10)**
Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. to 5 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at SR 540/Winter Lake Road (Exit 14)**
Overnight full road closure, 11:59 p.m., Monday, December 9, to 4 a.m., Tuesday, December 10; and 11:59 p.m., Tuesday, December 10, to 4 a.m., Wednesday, December 11.
If necessary to complete the work, this closure may also occur from 11:59 p.m., Wednesday, December 11, to 4 a.m., Thursday, December 12.

**Detour information:**
- Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 traffic wishing to continue west will be directed to exit at SR 540/Winter Lake Road (Exit 14), travel west to SR 540 to US 98/SR 35 and travel west on US 98 to access westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570.

**Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between north of Old Dixie Highway and US 92 (Mileposts 19 to 17)**
Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Thursday, December 12, to 5 a.m. Friday, December 13.

**Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at Old Dixie Highway (Exit 18)**
Overnight full road closure, 11:59 p.m. Thursday, December 12, to 4 a.m. Friday, December 13.

**Detour information:**
- Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 traffic wishing to continue west will be directed to exit at Dixie Highway (Exit 18), travel east on Old Dixie Highway to Berkley Road, travel south on Berkley Road to US 92/Memorial Boulevard and travel west on US 92 to access westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570.

---

**SUNCOAST PARKWAY ALL-ELECTRONIC TOLLING CONVERSION PHASE 6C FROM VAN DYKE ROAD TO US 98 (MILEPOSTS 14 - 55)**

**Northbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 exit ramp to SR 54/New Port Richey/Zephyrhills (Exit 19)**
Continuous weekend full ramp closure, 7 a.m. Saturday, December 14, to 5 a.m., Monday, December 16.

**Detour information:**
- Northbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 traffic wishing to access SR 54 (Exit 19) will be directed to exit at Lutz Lake Fern Road (Exit 16), travel west on Lutz Lake Fern Road to Gunn Highway and travel north on Gunn Highway to access SR 54.
Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 entrance ramp from SR 54
Continuous weekend full ramp closure, 7 a.m. Saturday, December 14, to 5 a.m. Monday, December 16.

Detour information:
- SR 54 traffic wishing to access southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 will be directed to travel west on SR 54 to Gunn Highway, travel south on Gunn Highway to Lutz Lake Fern Road and travel east on Lutz Lake Fern Road to access southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589.

Northbound Suncoast Parkway at the Ancloie Toll Gantry (Milepost 21)
Overnight single lane closures, 7 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Thursday, December 12.

Southbound Suncoast Parkway at the Ancloie Toll Gantry (Milepost 21)
Overnight single lane closures, 7 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Daytime single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Thursday, December 12.

Northbound Suncoast Parkway at the Spring Hill Toll Gantry (Milepost 31)
Overnight single lane closures, 7 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Thursday, December 12.

Southbound Suncoast Parkway at the Spring Hill Toll Gantry (Milepost 31)
Overnight single lane closures, 7 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Daytime single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Thursday, December 12.

Northbound and southbound Suncoast Parkway at the Oak Hammock Toll Gantry (Milepost 49)
Overnight single lane closures, 7 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Thursday, December 12.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This $30 million improvement project will convert the section of highway between Van Dyke Road and US 98 to all-electronic tolling (AET), providing non-stop travel to customers who travel the Suncoast Parkway. This conversion project includes gantry foundation installation, toll plaza equipment buildings, asphalt milling/resurfacing, roadway widening at the new gantry locations, lighting, drainage, utilities, and demolition.
HERNANDO AND CITRUS COUNTIES

SUNCOAST PARKWAY 2

Eastbound and westbound US 98 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway
Long-term single lane closures. One lane in each direction will remain open to traffic.

W. Oak Park Boulevard/CR 480 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway
Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, December 9, and Friday, December 13.

W. Cardinal Street in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway
Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Friday, December 13.
Possible overnight flagging operation, 6 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

W. Glen Street in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway
Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Friday, December 13.

Grover Cleveland Boulevard in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway
Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Friday, December 13.

Homosassa Trail/CR 490 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway
Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Friday, December 13.

S. Sunnyview Point at W. Cardinal Street
Long-term closure
Detour information:
• S. Sunnyview Point traffic wishing to access W. Cardinal Street will be directed to travel west on Access Road F to S. Frank Meyer Point, travel north on S. Frank Meyer Point to the W. Cardinal Street diversion road and travel west on the diversion road to access W. Cardinal Street.

S. Pine Meadow Avenue at W. Cardinal Street
Long term closure
Detour information:
• S. Pine Meadow Avenue traffic wishing to access W. Cardinal Street should travel north on S. Pine Meadow Avenue to W. Mockingbird Street, travel west on W. Mockingbird Street to S. Eastern Avenue and travel south on S. Eastern Avenue to access W. Cardinal Street.
**W. Whippoorwill Street**  
Permanent closure  

**Detour information:**  
- W. Whippoorwill Street traffic on the westside of the project wishing to access W. Grover Cleveland Boulevard should travel west on W. Whippoorwill Street to S. Corbett Avenue and travel north on S. Corbett Avenue to access W. Grover Cleveland Boulevard.  
- W. Whippoorwill Street traffic on the eastside of the project wishing to access W. Grover Cleveland Boulevard should travel east on W. Whippoorwill Street to S. Leisure Boulevard, travel north on S. Leisure Boulevard to S. Lecanto Highway/SR 491 and travel west on S. Lecanto Highway to access W. Grover Cleveland Boulevard.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida’s Turnpike is constructing the Suncoast Parkway 2, a four-lane toll facility that extends the existing Suncoast Parkway northward for 13 miles from US 98, in Hernando County, to SR 44, in Citrus County. The project includes constructing full interchanges at US 98 and W. Cardinal Street and a partial interchange at SR 44, one wildlife crossing and four wildlife culverts, 15 new bridges, and related drainage, lighting, highway signing, traffic signalization, guardrail and sidewalk. The Suncoast Trail, part of Florida’s Statewide Greenways and Trails System, will also be extended from US 98 to SR 44, with a pedestrian overpass constructed over US 98. The cost for this project is approximately $135 million and it is expected to be completed in 2022.

**CENTRAL FLORIDA**

**OSCEOLA COUNTY**

**TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE**

**Northbound Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 at the Western Beltway Toll Plaza**  
(Milepost 7)  
Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 10:30 p.m. Monday, December 9, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, December 10.

**PAINTING BRIDGES ON SOUTHERN CONNECTOR/SR 417**  
FROM MILEPOST 0 TO MILEPOST 1

**Northbound and Southbound Celebration Avenue underneath the Southern Connector Extension/SR 417**  
Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE RESURFACING AND ROADSIDE IMPROVEMENTS FROM MILEPOST 207 TO MILEPOST 220

Northbound and Southbound Florida’s Turnpike between north of Yeehaw Junction and south of Kissimmee Park Road (Mileposts 207 to 220)
Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 11 a.m. Monday, December 9.
Overnight single lane closure, 8 p.m. to 11 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Wednesday, December 11.
Overnight single lane closure, 8 p.m. Thursday, December 12, to 10 a.m. Friday, December 13.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida’s Turnpike is improving the pavement between mileposts 207 and 220. The $28 million project includes asphalt milling and resurfacing, signing and pavement markings, and improvements to CR-523 and CR-523A at the Turnpike overpasses. Construction will continue through summer 2020.

FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE WIDENING FROM OSEOLA PARKWAY TO BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY & TOLL 417 RAMPS (MILEPOSTS 249 – 255)

Northbound and southbound Florida’s Turnpike between Osceola Parkway and Beachline Expressway (Mileposts 249 to 255)
Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8 to 6 a.m. Monday, December 9.
Overnight single lane closures, 9:30 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

Northbound and southbound Central Florida GreeneWay/SR 417 between US 17/US 92/US 441 and south of Landstar Boulevard (Mileposts 11 to 13)
Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 6 a.m., Monday, December 9.
Overnight single lane closures, 9:30 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida’s Turnpike is being widened from four to eight lanes, including two express lanes in each direction, between Osceola Parkway and the Beachline Expressway/SR 528. The project includes constructing three ramps at the SR 417 interchange: northbound Turnpike to southbound SR 417; southbound Turnpike to northbound SR 417; and southbound Turnpike to southbound SR 417. Other improvements are widening and/or reconstructing ramps at the Osceola Parkway and Orlando South interchanges, replacing the ramp bridge at the Orlando South interchange, replacing the Turnpike bridges over the Central Florida Rail corridor and Central Florida Parkway/CSX railroad spur, and replacing the roadway overpasses at Orange Avenue/CR 527 and Taft-Vineland Road. The approximate cost is $176 million. The project is expected to be completed in 2021.

ORANGE & BREVARD COUNTIES

TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE

Westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 exit ramp to SR 520 (Exit 30)
Overnight full ramp closure, 8 p.m. Friday, December 13, to 5 a.m. Saturday, December 14.
Detour information:

floridasturnpike.com | @FloridaTurnpike | Facebook.com/MyFDOTTurnpike
• Westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 traffic wishing to access SR 520 will be directed to exit at I-95 (Exit 42B), travel north on I-95 and exit at SR 50/Orlando (Exit 215) and travel west on SR 50 to access SR 520.

**Eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 entrance ramp from SR 520**
Overnight full ramp closure, 8 p.m. Friday, December 13, to 5 a.m. Saturday, December 14.

**Detour information:**
• SR 520 traffic wishing to access eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 will be directed to travel south on SR 520 to SR 524, travel east on SR 524 to northbound I-95 and travel north on I-95 to access Beachline Expressway/SR 528/Port Canaveral (Exit 205A).

**Northbound and southbound Florida’s Turnpike just north of SR 429 (Exit 267)**
Intermittent double lane closures, 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**I-4 DIRECT CONNECT RAMPS TO FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE AND TURNPIKE IMPROVEMENTS FROM BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY TO I-4 (MILEPOSTS 253-261)**

**Northbound Florida’s Turnpike between north of the Beachline Expressway/SR 528 (Exit 254) and north of the I-4 Interchange (Mileposts 255 to 260)**
Long-term single lane closure through December 31, 2019. Three lanes will remain open to traffic.

**Northbound Florida’s Turnpike entrance ramp from I-4**
Long-term single ramp lane closure through December 31, 2019. One access ramp lane will remain open to traffic.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida’s Turnpike is being widened to 10 lanes from the Beachline Expressway to I-4 and constructing flyover ramps to directly connect Florida’s Turnpike to and from I-4. This project includes constructing six new all-electronic tolling points, removing three existing ramp tolling points, milling and resurfacing from south of Orange Blossom Trail to Vineland Road, and improving signalization at Consulate Drive. Other improvements include barrier and guardrail installation, highway lighting drainage and signage. This $85 million project is expected to be completed in 2021.

**FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE RESURFACING FROM MILEPOST 269 TO MILEPOST 273**

**Northbound Florida’s Turnpike from just north of SR 429/Daniel Webster Western Beltway to just north of SR 50/Winter Garden/Clermont (Milepost 269 to 273)**
Overnight double lane closures, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 6 a.m. Monday, December 9.
Overnight double lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Overnight triple lane closures, 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
**Southbound Florida’s Turnpike from just north of SR 50/Winter Garden/Clermont to just north of SR 429/Daniel Webster Western Beltway (Milepost 269 to 273)**

Overnight double lane closures, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 6 a.m. Monday, December 9.
Overnight double lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Overnight triple lane closures, 10 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Work consists of milling and resurfacing Florida’s Turnpike Mainline/SR 91 from mileposts 269.4 to 273.3 in Orange County. Work includes repairing select cracks to travel lanes in both the northbound and southbound directions. The approximate cost is $12 million. The project is expected to be completed in summer 2020.

---

**BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY AND UNIVERSAL BOULEVARD INTERCHANGE WESTBOUND EXIT RAMP IMPROVEMENTS**

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Work consists of roadway widening, milling, resurfacing, signing, pavement markings, travel signals and lighting on the westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 exit ramp to Universal Boulevard from mileposts 1.945 to 2.039 in Orange County, Florida. The approximate cost is $648,000. The project is expected to be completed in mid-December.

---

**BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY WIDENING PROJECT FROM FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE TO MCCOY ROAD (MILEPOSTS 4 - 8)**

**Northbound Florida’s Turnpike in the vicinity of Beachline Expressway/SR 528 & Consulate Drive**
Long-term, single lane closures continuing around-the-clock through 6 a.m., Friday, December 20. Three lanes will remain open to traffic.

**Eastbound and westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 from Florida’s Turnpike to McCoy Road**
Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Overnight double lane closures, 10 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**Eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 from I-4 to Florida’s Turnpike**
Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Overnight double lane closures, 10 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Northbound and southbound Florida’s Turnpike exit ramp to eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 (Exit 254)
Overnight full ramp closure, 10 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

Detour information:
• Northbound and southbound Florida’s Turnpike traffic wishing to access eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 will be directed to exit at Beachline Expressway/SR 528/US 17/US 92/US 441 (Exit 254) and take the ramp to northbound Orange Blossom Trail/North US 441, travel north on Orange Blossom Trail to Landstreet Road and travel east on Landstreet Road to access eastbound Beachline Expressway.

Eastbound and westbound Landstreet Road between Orange Blossom Trail/US 441 and Bachman Road
Overnight single lane closures, 9:30 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

Northbound and southbound Orange Blossom Trail/US 441 between Landstreet and Consulate Drive
Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

Northbound and southbound Consulate underneath the Beachline Expressway/SR 528
Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This $174 million project widens SR 528, the Beachline Expressway, from four to eight lanes between Interstate 4 and the Turnpike, and from six to eight lanes from the Turnpike to McCoy Road. The project consists of the addition of two tolled SunPass-only express lanes between I-4 and John Young Parkway, and one tolled, SunPass-only Express Lane between John Young Parkway and McCoy Road. The project includes ramp improvements at International Drive, Orangewood/Universal Boulevards and John Young Parkway, with auxiliary lanes between the ramps to alleviate traffic weaving. Six bridges will be widened and the bridge over Shingle Creek will be reconstructed. Noise walls behind the Williamsburg subdivision are included. New sidewalk connectivity along International Drive, Orangewood/Universal Boulevards and John Young Parkway is being provided. The existing through lanes from I-4 to the Beachline West Toll Plaza at Milepost 6 remain untolled. This project is expected to be completed in early 2020.

BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY RESURFACING AND ROADSIDE IMPROVEMENTS FROM MILEPOST 30 TO MILEPOST 46

Eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 just east of SR 520
Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. Sunday, December 8, to 6 a.m. Monday, December 9.
Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Wednesday, December 11.

Westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 just east of SR 520
Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. Thursday, December 12, to 6 a.m. Friday, December 13.
**Eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 entrance ramp from SR 520**
Overnight full ramp closure, 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Wednesday, December 11.

**Detour information:**
- SR 520 traffic wishing to access eastbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 will be directed to SR 524, travel east on SR 524 to northbound I-95 and travel north on I-95 to access Beachline Expressway/SR 528/Port Canaveral (Exit 205A).

**Westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 exit ramp SR 520 (Exit 31)**
Overnight full ramp closure, 11:59 p.m., Thursday, December 12, to 5 a.m. Friday, December 13.

**Detour information:**
- Westbound Beachline Expressway/SR 528 traffic wishing to access SR 520 will be directed to exit at I-95 (Exit 42B), travel north on I-95 and exit at SR 50/Orlando (Exit 215) and travel west on SR 50 to access SR 520.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida’s Turnpike is improving the pavement on the Beachline Expressway from west of SR 520 (Exit 31) to US 1 (Exit 45). This $19 million project includes asphalt milling and resurfacing, replacing bridge joints and improving guardrail. It is estimated that the work will be completed in spring 2020.

---

**SEMINOLE COUNTY**

**SEMINOLE EXPRESSWAY/SR 417**
**WIDENING FROM ECONLOCKHATCHEE TRAIL TO ALOMA AVENUE**

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** SR 417 is being widened from four to six lanes between Econlockhatchee Trail and Aloma Avenue in a collaborative project between Florida’s Turnpike and Central Florida Expressway Authority. Improvements include additional auxiliary lanes between Aloma Avenue and University Boulevard to alleviate congestion, realignment of the northbound off-ramp to Aloma Avenue, asphalt milling and resurfacing, new signage, and safety upgrades. The approximate cost is $44.8 million. The project is expected to be completed in 2020.

---

**LAKE COUNTY**

**ALL-ELECTRONIC TOLLING (AET) NORTHERN COIN CONVERSION**
**FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 FROM MILEPOST 236 TO MILEPOST 309**

**Northbound and southbound Florida’s Turnpike between Milepost 285 and Milepost 287 (south of the Leesburg Plaza)**
Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.
Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, December 9, and daily through Friday, December 13.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The overall AET conversion scope includes: milling and resurfacing, minor widening, lighting, highway signing, guardrail, toll facilities and other construction activities on Florida’s Turnpike from south of Kissimmee Park Road (milepost 236) to I-75 (milepost 309) for 70 miles in Osceola, Orange, Lake and Sumter counties. It is anticipated that the project will cost $17.5 million and work will continue through spring 2021.

**SUMTER COUNTY**

**FLORIDA’S TURNPIKE AND I-75 INTERCHANGE IMPROVEMENTS**

**Northbound Florida’s Turnpike between north of US 301/Wildwood (Exit 304) and I-75**
Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**Northbound I-75 between south of Florida’s Turnpike and north of SR 44/Inverness/Wildwood (Mileposts 329 to 331)**
Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, December 8, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**Southbound I-75 at SR 44 (Exit 329)**
Overnight full road closure, 11 p.m. to 5 a.m., Monday, December 9, and nightly through Thursday, December 12.

**Detour information:**
- Southbound I-75 traffic wishing to continue south on Florida’s Turnpike will be directed to exit I-75 at SR 44 (Exit 329), travel east on SR 44 to US 301 and travel south on US 301 to access southbound Florida’s Turnpike.
- Southbound I-75 traffic wishing to continue south on I-75 will be directed to exit at SR 44 (Exit 329), travel east on SR 44 to US 301, travel south on US 301 to CR 470 and travel west on CR 470 to access southbound I-75.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida’s Turnpike will increase capacity and improve traffic operations at the I-75 interchanges with Florida’s Turnpike and SR 44. This project includes widening I-75 from two lanes to four lanes through the northbound Turnpike/I-75 interchange and widening the northbound Turnpike from two lanes to three lanes where it ties into I-75. A new flyover entrance ramp from SR 44 to the southbound Turnpike will be constructed, and a new flyover exit ramp from northbound I-75 to SR 44 will be constructed. Work also includes replacing the flyover bridge from southbound I-75 to the southbound Turnpike and I-75, and major drainage improvements. This $68.5 million project is expected to be completed this winter.

###

*Florida Department of Transportation*

*Safety, Mobility, Reliability*