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Continuous Double Lane Closure of Westbound SW 8th Street at Florida's Turnpike

Lane closures begin at 11 p.m. Friday, March 9 and reopen at 5 a.m. Monday, March 12

MIAMI — Two of the three westbound lanes on SW 8th Street/Tamiami Trail at Florida's Turnpike will be closed this weekend, beginning at 11 p.m. Friday, March 9, and continuing around the clock until 5 a.m., Monday, March 12. This closure will allow crews to continue construction activities on the Turnpike bridge over SW 8th Street.

This work is part of the Turnpike's ongoing \$112 million widening project between Bird Road/SW 40th Street to Dolphin Expressway/SR 836. Please note, this schedule may change due to inclement weather or other unexpected conditions.

For more information about this project, call 1-800-749-PIKE or go to www.Floridasturnpike.com. Drivers may dial 5-1-1 for real-time traffic information or visit www.FL511.com before traveling. They may also follow @FLTurnpikeSFL on Twitter.