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CLOSING - All Southbound Turnpike lanes at SW 120th Street
To be closed nightly from 11 p.m. Wednesday, September 6 to 5 a.m. Thursday, September 7.

FORT LAUDERDALE — The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has scheduled full closures on southbound Florida’s Turnpike to allow crews to pour concrete for bridge construction in the area. In order to perform this work safely, traffic will be detoured during the following dates and times:

- **All southbound lanes on Florida’s Turnpike at SW 120th Street** will be closed from 11 p.m. Wednesday, September 6 to 5 a.m. Thursday, September 7. Motorists will be directed to exit at SW 120th Street (Exit 19), travel east along SW 120th Street, travel south on Southwest 117th Avenue to Coral Reef Drive, and travel east on Coral Reef Drive to re-enter southbound Florida’s Turnpike. If necessary to complete the work, these lane closures will also take place from 11 p.m. Thursday, September 7 to 5 a.m. Friday, September 8.

- **The southbound Florida’s Turnpike entrance ramp from SW 120th Street** will be closed from 11 p.m. Wednesday, September 6 to 5 a.m. Thursday, September 7. Motorists will be directed to continue east on SW 120th Street, travel south on Southwest 117th Avenue to Coral Reef Drive, and travel east on Coral Reef Drive to re-enter southbound Florida’s Turnpike. If necessary to complete the work, this ramp closure will also take place from 11 p.m. Thursday, September 7 to 5 a.m. Friday, September 8.

This work is part of the ongoing $145.3 million widening project on Florida’s Turnpike between Eureka Drive/SW 184th Street to Killian Parkway/SW 104th Street. Please note that 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](http://www.Floridasturnpike.com). Drivers may dial 5-1-1 for real-time traffic information or visit [www.FL511.com](http://www.FL511.com) before traveling. They may also follow @FL511_Turnpike on Twitter.