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Overnight Closure of Northbound Turnpike Exit Ramp to Southwest 8th Street
Traffic will be detoured from 11 p.m. Sunday, October 22 to 5 a.m. Monday, October 23

FORT LAUDERDALE — The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has scheduled the overnight closure of the Florida’s Turnpike northbound exit ramp to Southwest 8th Street (Exit 25) to allow crews to complete a traffic shift in this area. In order to complete this work safely, traffic will be detoured during the following dates and times:

- Florida’s Turnpike northbound exit ramp to Southwest 8th Street will be closed from 11 p.m. Sunday, October 22 to 5 a.m. Monday, October 23. Motorists will be detoured to exit northbound Turnpike at Bird Road (Exit 23), travel north on Southwest 117th Avenue to Southwest 8th Street. Motorists can also continue north on Florida’s Turnpike and exit at NW 12th Street (Exit 27), travel east on NW 12th Street and continue south on NW 107th Avenue to Southwest 8th Street. If necessary to complete the work, this ramp closure will also take place nightly from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday, October 23 and Tuesday, October 24.

This work is part of the Turnpike’s ongoing widening project on Florida’s Turnpike between Bird Road/SW 40th Street to Dolphin Expressway/SR 836. 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. 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.