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Florida Department of Transportation's Turnpike Enterprise Resumes Food Services at Plazas

Ocoee, Fla. – In accordance with Governor DeSantis' "Safe. Smart. Step-by-Step. Plan for Florida's Recovery," the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) has resumed food services at its eight plazas. In anticipation of the reopening, the following safety precautions have been implemented:

Cleanliness

Plazas cleansed thoroughly using a disinfectant specially formulated to eliminate viruses.

Managers and associates received new training on updated safety and sanitizing procedures,

Additional sanitizer stations placed throughout plazas and restrooms.

Social Distancing

Indoor dining is limited to no more than 25% capacity.

Outdoor seating is configured for 6 feet of separation between tables.

Floors are lined with tape to identify proper spacing.

Plaza staff are required to wear masks and gloves.

Guests are encouraged to wear masks, when possible.

Reducing Touchpoints

Condiments will be provided at the counter instead of a self-serve station.

High touchpoints, such as credit/debit card readers, disinfected frequently.

Additionally, managers will ensure team members are symptom-free before beginning their shifts. In accordance with the Phase 1 Recovery Plan for restaurants in Miami-Dade, Broward and Palm Beach counties, food services at Snapper Creek, Pompano and West Palm Beach plazas will be limited to takeout orders only.

All Dunkin' Donuts locations will be open 24 hours. Other restaurant concepts will operate with modified hours. The Department will monitor dining practices and adjust as new guidelines emerge.

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