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

**OCOEE, Fla.** – <u>Florida's Turnpike Enterprise</u> announces lane closures and work zone information for construction and maintenance projects in Central Florida beginning Sunday, March 6. Motorists should drive with caution through work zones and adhere to posted detour signs and speed limits. Please pay special attention to the closures noted in red.

For additional information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Stephanie Eisenberg at 407-264-3064 or <u>Stephanie.Eisenberg@dot.state.fl.us</u>. Additional project information can be found on the project websites at <u>www.floridasturnpike.com</u>.

## <u>CENTRAL TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 (Mileposts 188 to 240)</u> <u>OSCEOLA COUNTY</u>

## ALL-ELECTRONIC TOLLING (AET) CONVERSION PROJECT PHASE 8 ON CENTRAL TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 FROM THE LANTANA TOLL PLAZA TO THE THREE LAKES TOLL PLAZA (MILEPOSTS 88-236)

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Work consists of providing all labor, materials, equipment, and incidentals necessary for the conversion of Central Turnpike Mainline/SR 91 to an All-Electronic Tolling (AET) collection system from milepost 88 to milepost 236. The overall AET conversion scope includes the installation of new AET gantries on the mainline, removal of the existing mainline and existing toll plazas on the interchange ramps and addition of several new Dynamic Message Signs (DMS). Construction will continue through late 2024. Approximate cost: \$107 million.

## CENTRAL TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND ROADSIDE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FROM MILEPOST 190 TO MILEPOST 198

# Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 north of the Fort Drum Service Plaza (Milepost 190 to 198)

Daytime shoulder closures, 6 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11. Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, March 7, and nightly through Thursday,

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March 10.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is resurfacing Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 from milepost 190 to milepost 198, in Osceola County. Work will include resurfacing the Turnpike ramps and Tandem Truck parking lot at Yeehaw Junction/SR 60 (Exit 193) and widening a portion of Florida's Turnpike at Yeehaw Junction to provide longer entrance and exit lanes. Construction will continue through 2022. Approximate cost: \$16.7 million.

## NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 (Mileposts 240 to 309) OSCEOLA, ORANGE, SEMINOLE, LAKE & SUMTER COUNTIES

## I-4 DIRECT CONNECT RAMPS TO NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 AND IMPROVEMENTS FROM BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY TO I-4 (MILEPOSTS 253-261)

## Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Beachline Expressway/SR 528/US 17/US 92/US 441 (Exit 254) and I-4 (Exit 259)

Overnight double lane closures, 10 p.m. to 5:30 a.m., Sunday, March 6, and nightly through Thursday, March 10.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is constructing flyover ramps to directly connect the Florida's Turnpike to and from I-4. This project includes constructing three 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. Construction will continue through early 2022. Approximate cost: \$85 million.

## NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FROM MILEPOST 260 TO MILEPOST 265

### Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 from north of I-4 to south of Spessard L. Holland-East-West Expressway/SR 408 (Mileposts 260 to 265)

Overnight multiple lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, March 6 and nightly through Thursday, March 10.

## Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 from north of I-4 to south of Spessard L. Holland-East-West Expressway/SR 408 (Mileposts 260 to 265)

Overnight multiple lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, March 6 and nightly through Thursday, March 10.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is resurfacing Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between north of Interstate 4 and south of SR 408 (mileposts 260 to 265), in Orange County. This project includes reconstructing the FTE headquarters' parking lot, landscaping, and lighting upgrades. Construction will continue mid-2022. Approximate cost: \$18.9 million.

## NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FROM MILEPOST 265 TO MILEPOST 269

No lane closures scheduled.

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**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is resurfacing Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Spessard L. Holland East-West Expressway/SR 408 and north of Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 (mileposts 265 to 269), in Orange County. This project also includes resurfacing of Florida's Turnpike entrance and exit ramps at SR 408, SR 50, and Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 249. SR 408 will be resurfaced from Florida's Turnpike to Old Winter Garden Road. The project will also widen the northbound Florida's Turnpike exit ramp to SR 429. New signage, pavement markings, signalization, lighting, and drainage will be installed throughout the project limits. Bridge upgrades including joint repairs, traffic railing and pedestrian fencing will also take place. Construction will continue through mid-2023. Approximate cost: \$22 million.

## NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 WIDENING PROJECT FROM CLERMONT/SR 50 TO HANCOCK ROAD/MINNEOLA

## Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between south of CR 438 and Hancock Road/Minneola (Mileposts 273.5 to 279)

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, March 6, and nightly through Thursday, March 10.

## CR 438/Oakland Avenue Bridge over Florida's Turnpike/SR 91

Long-term full bridge closure through Fall 2022. **Detour information:** 

- Eastbound CR 438/Oakland Avenue traffic wishing to continue east will be directed to travel west on CR 438 to SR 50/West Colonial Drive, travel east on SR 50 to S. Tubb Street and travel north on S. Tubb Street to access CR 438.
- Westbound CR 438/Oakland Avenue traffic wishing to continue west will be directed to S. Tubb Street, travel south on S. Tubb Street to SR 50/West Colonial Drive and travel west on SR 50 to access CR 438.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is widening Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 from four to eight lanes from Clermont/SR 50 to Hancock Road/Minneola in Lake and Orange counties. This project includes constructing a new Fosgate Road bridge over the Turnpike. The bridges at CR 438 and CR 455 will also be replaced, as well as the Turnpike bridges over Jones Road, Old Highway 50 and Blackstill Lake Road. The West Orange Trail bridge over the Turnpike will be replaced with a prefabricated structure. New electronic tolling gantries and buildings will be installed, and the existing toll booths and canopies at the Clermont/SR 50 entrance and exit ramps will be demolished. Safety improvements for this project include a new Intelligent Transportation system, signage, pavement markings, signalization, lighting and drainage. Construction will continue through mid-2026. Approximate cost: \$162.3 million.

## NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FROM MILEPOST 297 TO MILEPOST 309

# Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between I-75 and north of CR 470 (Mileposts 309 to 297)

Daytime shoulder closures, 6 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

## Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between I-75 and north of CR 470 (Mileposts 309 to 297)

Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, March 6, to 6 a.m., Monday, March 7. Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, March 7, and nightly through Friday, March 11.

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**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is resurfacing Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 from CR 470 to I-75, in Sumter County. This project also includes the resurfacing of entrance and exit ramps at US 301 (Exit 304), new guardrails, signage and pavement markings. Construction will continue through mid-2022. Approximate cost: \$11.5 million.

## BEXLEY TRAIL BRIDGE REPLACEMENT OVER FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE FROM MILEPOST 297 TO MILEPOST 300

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Sumter County, in partnership with Florida's Turnpike Enterprise, is building a new four lane bridge over Florida's Turnpike/SR 91. This project includes constructing a two-way bridge for vehicles and pedestrians over the Turnpike, and the demolition of the existing Bailey Road bridge crossing. Construction will continue through mid-2023. For inquiries related to this project, please contact Eddie Ferris at <u>eferris@eismanrusso.com</u>.

## DANIEL WEBSTER WESTERN BELTWAY/SR 429 RESURFACING AND ROADSIDE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FROM SINCLAIR ROAD TO SEIDEL ROAD

#### Northbound Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 from Sinclair Road to Seidel Road

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, March 6, and nightly through Thursday, March 10.

Southbound Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 entrance ramp from Seidel Road Overnight full ramp closures, 11 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, to 5 a.m. Thursday, March 10; and 11 p.m. Thursday, March 10, to 5 a.m. Friday, March 11.

#### **Detour information:**

 Seidel Road traffic wishing to access southbound Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 will be directed west to Avalon Road, travel south on Avalon Road to Western Way and travel east on Western Way access southbound SR 429.

Northbound Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 exit ramp to Seidel Road (Exit 11) Overnight full ramp closures, 11 p.m. Sunday, March 9, to 5 a.m. Monday, March 10; and 11 p.m. Monday, March 10, to 6 a.m. Tuesday, March 8. Detour information:

 Northbound Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 traffic wishing to access Seidel Road (Exit 11) will be directed to exit at Western Way (Exit 8), travel west on Western Way to Avalon Road and travel east on Avalon Road to access Seidel Road.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is resurfacing Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429 from Sinclair Road to Seidel Road in Osceola and Orange Counties. This project will also install new signage, pavement markings, lighting and wrong way driving detection systems. Construction will continue through early 2023. Approximate cost: \$18.8 million.

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## REPLACING ROAD SIGNS ALONG BEACHLINE EXPRESSWAY/SR 528 FROM WEST OF SR 520 TO COCOA BOULEVARD/US 1/SR A1A

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is replacing the single post sings, multi-post signs, sign panels and sign structures on Beachline Expressway/SR 528 from SR 520 to Industry Road in Orange and Brevard Counties. The project also includes installation and replacement of guardrail at two locations in Brevard County. Construction will continue through mid-2022. Approximate cost: \$1.69 million.

## SEMINOLE EXPRESSWAY RESUFACING AND ROADSIDE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FROM NORTH OF SR 434 TO NORTH OF LAKE MARY BOULEVARD

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is resurfacing Seminole Expressway/SR 417 from north of SR 434 to north of Lake Mary Boulevard in Seminole County. This project will also include installing new lighting and signage, improvements to the northbound exit ramp to Ronald Reagan Boulevard, sidewalk modifications new guardrail, wrong way driving detection systems, and drainage modifications. Construction will continue through early 2023. Approximate cost: \$13.8 million.

## <u>SUNCOAST PARKWAY & POLK PARKWAY</u> <u>HILLSBOROUGH, PASCO, HERNANDO, CITRUS & POLK COUNTIES</u>

## SUNCOAST PARKWAY/SR 589 NEW RIDGE ROAD INTERCHANGE PROJECT

## Northbound and southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 between the Anclote Toll Gantry and south of SR 52 (Mileposts 21 to 26)

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, March 6, and daily through Saturday, March 12.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Pasco County, in partnership with Florida's Turnpike Enterprise, is building a new interchange on Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 at Ridge Road. This project includes constructing a full interchange with access to and from northbound and southbound Suncoast Parkway, two All-Electronic Tolling facilities at the northbound entrance ramp and southbound exit ramp, Intelligent Transportation System improvements, and new signage, lighting, and pavement markings. Construction will continue through mid-2022. Approximate cost: \$11.5 million.

## SUNCOAST PARKWAY 2/SR 589 FROM US 98 TO SR 44

#### Eastbound and westbound US 98 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

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## W. Oak Park Boulevard/CR 480 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

## W. Cardinal Street in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

## W. Glen Street in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

### Grover Cleveland Boulevard in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

## Homosassa Trail/CR 490 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

### W. Southern Street in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

### SR 44 in the vicinity of the Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Possible daytime intermittent single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise 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. Work includes constructing full interchanges at US 98 and W. Cardinal Street, a partial interchange at SR 44, a 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. Construction will continue through 2022. Approximate cost: \$135 million.

## ALL-ELECTRONIC TOLLING (AET) CONVERSION PROJECT ON POLK PARKWAY/SR 570 FROM INTERSTATE 4 (I-4) TO OLD DIXIE HIGHWAY

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is converting an 18-mile portion of Polk Parkway/SR 570 to electronic tolling between I-4 and Old Dixie Highway/CR 546 in Polk County. This project includes constructing three new toll gantries at the Western Mainline (milepost 8), Central Mainline (milepost 13), and SR 540 New Mainline (milepost 15.5), removing cash toll collections and replacing them with SunPass and TOLL-BY-PLATE and demolishing the existing Western and Central Mainline toll plazas. Work is anticipated to be completed in mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$31.6 million.

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## POLK PARKWAY/SR 570 WIDENING AND RESURFACING FROM OLD DIXIE HIGHWAY TO PACE ROAD

# Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between north of Auburndale Highway/US 92 and south of Pace Road (Mileposts 18 to 22)

Daytime intermittent shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

# Eastbound and westbound Old Dixie Highway/CR 546 underneath Polk Parkway/SR 570 (Milepost 18.6)

Long-term single lane closure through March 2022. Two lanes will remain open to traffic. Daytime intermittent single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

## Eastbound and westbound Braddock Road over Polk Parkway/SR 570

Daytime intermittent single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, March 7, and daily through Friday, March 11.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is widening a four-mile segment of Polk Parkway/SR 570 to four lanes, between Old Dixie Highway/CR 546 and south of Pace Road and resurfacing the existing 4-lane portions between US 92 and I-4 in Polk County. This project includes constructing a new interchange at Polk Parkway and Braddock Road, widening Braddock Road from west of Polk Parkway to Berkley Road and constructing new electronic tolling points on Polk Parkway and Braddock Road ramps. Work also consists of resurfacing the ramps at CR 546, improving signage, pavement markings, signalization lighting and drainage throughout the project and improving local roads including the realignment of the City of Auburndale Water Treatment Plant access road and the neighborhood access road south of Braddock Road, as well as minor resurfacing on Berkley Road at the Braddock Road intersection. Construction will continue through 2024. Approximate cost: \$61.2 million.

## **TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE**

## Veterans Expressway/Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Southbound Veterans Expressway/SR 589 entrance ramp from Waters Avenue (Milepost 6) Overnight full closure, 10:30 p.m. Thursday, March 10, to 5 a.m. Friday, March 11. Detour Information:

• Waters Avenue traffic wishing to access southbound Veterans Expressway/SR 589 will be directed to travel west to Hanley Road, travel south on Hanley Road to Hillsborough Avenue and travel east on Hillsborough Avenue to access southbound Veterans Expressway.

## Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 at Spring Hill Toll Plaza (Milepost 32)

Overnight partial closure, 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, to 5 a.m. Wednesday, March 9.

# Northbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 entrance ramp from Cortez Boulevard/SR 50 (Milepost 46)

Overnight partial closure, 10:30 p.m. Monday, March 7, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, March 8.

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## FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE SYSTEM STATEWIDE HILLSBOROUGH, SEMINOLE, POLK, PASCO, OSCEOLA, ORANGE & SUMTER COUNTIES

## CENTRAL & WEST CENTRAL FLORIDA DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGN & CCTV CAMERA INSTALLATION PROJECT

## Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 south of the Turkey Lake Service Plaza (Milepost 262)

Overnight triple lane and shoulder closures, 10 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, to 6 a.m. Wednesday, March 9; and 10 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, to 6 a.m. Thursday, March 10.

Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 north of the Turkey Lake Service Plaza Milepost (265.5) Overnight triple lane and shoulder closures, 10 p.m. Monday, March 7, to 6 a.m. Tuesday, March 8; and 10 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, to 6 a.m. Wednesday, March 9.

## Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 south of the Okahumpka Service Plaza (Milepost 298.5)

Overnight single lane and shoulder closures, 10 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, to 6 a.m. Thursday, March 10; and 10 p.m. Thursday, March 10, to 6 a.m. Friday, March 11.

## Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 north of the Okahumpka Service Plaza (Milepost 302)

Overnight single lane and shoulder closure, 10 p.m. Thursday, March 10, to 6 a.m. Friday, March 11.

## Westbound East-West Expressway/SR 408 at (Milepost 1.2)

Overnight shoulder and lane closures, 10 p.m., Sunday, March 6, to 6 a.m., Monday, March 7.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is installing Dynamic Message Sign (DMS) and Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) cameras at the Canoe Creek, Turkey Lake, and Okahumpka Service Plazas. CCTV will also be installed along Florida's Turnpike/SR 91, SR 417, Polk Parkway/SR 570, and Veterans Expressway/Suncoast Parkway/SR 589. Arterial Dynamic Message Sign (ADMS) and CCTV cameras will also be installed along Hillsborough Avenue, Linebaugh Avenue, and Citrus Park Drive/Gunn Highway near Veterans Expressway in Hillsborough County. Construction will continue through 2022. Approximate cost: \$7.6 million.

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