

# South Florida Wrong-Way Detection Technology Implementation Project

# **Project Description**

As part of the Florida Department of Transportation's (FDOT) Wrong-Way Driving Initiative, Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) is enhancing the Wrong-Way Vehicle Detection System (WWVDS) throughout Miami-Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach counties.

FTE is increasing the amount of wrong-way signage, roadway reflectors, and pavement markings in locations along Florida's Turnpike/State Road (SR) 821, Florida's Turnpike/SR 91, and Sawgrass Expressway/SR 869.

These enhancements will assist in monitoring, detecting, and preventing wrong-way drivers, and notifying law enforcement and Traffic Management Center staff for response.

# **Construction and Traffic Impacts**

Construction will take place during both daytime and night-time hours. Lane closures will generally take place during off-peak hours to minimize traffic congestion and delays for most drivers. Efforts will be made to limit traffic and noise disruptions, but lane closures, ramp closures, and detours will be necessary to accomplish the improvements.

Closures will be announced in advance in Florida's Turnpike South Florida and Treasure Coast Weekly Lane Closures and Work Zone Advisory.

# Schedule and Funding

#### **Construction Schedule**

Work is expected to be completed in mid-2023.

# **Cost and Funding**

The project cost is approximately \$ 5.5 million.

# **Public Information**

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