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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, May 19. Motorists should drive with caution through work zones and adhere to posted detour signs and speed limits. <u>Please pay special attention to the closures noted in red.</u>

Regularly scheduled construction and maintenance-related lane closures on Florida's Turnpike operated roads are suspended for the Memorial Day holiday from 6 a.m. Friday, May 24, to 10 p.m. Monday, May 27, unless otherwise indicated below.

Tandem truckers should also pay special attention to the closures noted in red which include full road and ramp closures and closures of special significance.

For additional information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Louis Grisoglio at 407-264-3069 or Louis.Grisoglio@dot.state.fl.us. Additional project information can be found on the project websites at www.floridasturnpike.com.

<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 LANTANA TOLL PLAZA TO THREE LAKES TOLL PLAZA

No lane closures scheduled.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike Mainline/SR 91 is being converted to an Electronic Tolling Collection (ETC) system from milepost 88 to milepost 236. This project includes the installation of new ETC gantries on the mainline, removal of the existing toll plazas on the mainline and interchange ramps. Several new Dynamic Message Signs will also be installed throughout the corridor. Construction will continue through mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$107 million.

NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FROM MILEPOST 198.5 TO MILEPOST 207 & MILEPOST 248.5 TO MILEPOST 251

Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Milepost 198.5 and Milepost 207 Overnight single lane closure, 9 p.m., Sunday, May 19, to 6 a.m. Monday, May 20.

Overnight single lane closures, 8:30 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, May 20, and nightly through Friday, May 24.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being resurfaced from mileposts 198.5 to 207 and from mileposts 248.5 to 251 in Orange and Osceola counties. Construction will continue through mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$21.8 million.

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

NORTHERN TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FROM SOUTH OF CANOE CREEK SERVICE PLAZA TO SOUTH OF THREE LAKES TOLL GANTRY

Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between south of Canoe Creek Service Plaza and south of Three Lakes Toll Gantry (Milepost 227 to Milepost 235)

Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23. Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being resurfaced between Canoe Creek Service Plaza and Three Lakes Toll Gantry (mileposts 227 to 235), in Osceola County. This project also includes installing high friction surface treatment to the asphalt to reduce skidding and improve vehicle traction during adverse weather conditions. New signage, pavement markings, new guardrails and lighting will be installed throughout the project limits. Construction will continue through late 2024. Approximate cost: \$16.9 million.

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

No lane closures scheduled.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being resurfaced 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 Florida's Turnpike entrance and exit ramps at SR 408, SR 50, and SR 429. 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 early 2024. 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 Clermont/SR 50 and Minneola/Hancock Road

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 entrance ramp from W. Colonial Drive/SR 50

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 exit ramp to Clermont/SR 50 (Exit 272)

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being widened from four to eight lanes from Clermont/SR 50 to Minneola/Hancock Road 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 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 will be installed, and the existing toll booths and canopies at the 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 WIDENING PROJECT FROM MINNEOLA/HANCOCK ROAD TO O'BRIEN ROAD

Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Minneola/Hancock Road and north of O'Brien Road

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Intermittent daytime shoulder closures, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Friday, May 24.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being widened from four to eight lanes from Minneola to O'Brien Road in Lake County. This project includes replacing the bridges at Scrub Jay Lane, CR 561, US 19, and US 27/SR 19 South. New electronic tolling gantries and buildings will be installed, as well as new stormwater treatment facilities. Safety improvements for this project include new signage, pavement markings, signalization, and lighting. Construction will continue through late 2028. Approximate cost: \$233 million.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 AND CLAUDE PEPPER MEMORIAL HIGHWAY/US 27 INTERCHANGE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 exit ramp to Claude Pepper Memorial Highway/US 27 (Exit 289)

Overnight full ramp closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Tuesday, May 21, and nightly through Thursday, May 23. **Detour information:**

- Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 traffic wishing to access northbound Claude Pepper Memorial Highway/US 27 (Exit 289) will be directed to exit at Minneola/Hancock Road (Exit 278), travel south on N. Hancock Road to Old Highway 50 and travel west on Old Highway 50 to access northbound US 27.
- Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 traffic wishing to access southbound Claude Pepper Memorial Highway/US 27 (Exit 289) will be directed to exit at CR 470 (Exit 296) and travel east on CR 470 to access southbound US 27.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Traffic operations are being improved at the interchange of Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 and Claude Pepper Memorial Highway/US 27 (milepost 289) in Lake County. This project includes installing wrong-way driving countermeasures, new mast arm signals on US 27 for the new left turn lane at the southbound exit ramp, new mast arm signals

for the left turn to the northbound Turnpike entrance ramp and a new left turn lane at the southbound Turnpike exit ramp to US 27 (Exit 289). Construction will continue through early 2024. Approximate cost: \$2.6 million.

SEMINOLE EXPRESSWAY/SR 417 BRIDGE PAINTING PROJECT

Northbound and southbound Rinehart Road under Seminole Expressway/SR 417

Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, May 19, to 6 a.m. Monday, May 20. Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, May 20, and nightly through Saturday, May 25.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is repainting three Seminole Expressway/SR 417 bridges over S. Orlando Drive/ US 17/92, W. Airport Boulevard, and Rinehart Road in Seminole County. The life of these bridges will be prolonged by cleaning/repainting the steel components and concrete surfaces to prevent corrosion and reduce water infiltration. This project includes minor structural repairs and improving the overall aesthetics of the structures. Construction will continue through early 2025. Approximate cost: \$1.1 million.

SEMINOLE EXPRESSWAY/SR 417 ELECTRONIC TOLLING COLLECTION CONVERSION PROJECT

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 exit ramp to Aloma Avenue/SR 426 (Exit 38)

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 entrance ramp from Aloma Avenue/SR 426

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 exit ramp to Red Bug Lake Road (Exit 41)

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 entrance ramp from Red Bug Lake Road

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 exit ramp to SR 434 (Exit 44)

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 entrance ramp from SR 434

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 exit ramp to Lake Mary Boulevard/CR 427 (Exit 49)

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 entrance ramp from Lake Mary Boulevard/CR 427

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 exit ramp to US 17/US 92 (Exit 50)

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 entrance ramp from US 17/US 92

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 exit ramp to Lake Mary/H.E. Thomas Junior Parkway/CR 46A (Exit 52)

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 entrance ramp from Lake Mary/ H.E. Thomas Junior Parkway/CR 46A

Overnight intermittent single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE

I-4 Express

Westbound I-4 Express at Orange Blossom Trail (Milepost 81)

Overnight full road closure, 11 p.m. Monday, May 20, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, May 21.

Detour information:

 Westbound I-4 Express traffic wishing to continue west will be directed to the general use lanes to continue west.

<u>VETERANS EXPRESSWAY/SUNCOAST PARKWAY & POLK PARKWAY</u> HILLSBOROUGH, PASCO, HERNANDO, CITRUS and POLK COUNTIES

VETERANS EXPRESSWAY SPUR/SR 568 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FROM VETERANS EXPRESSWAY/SR 589 TO DALE MABRY HIGHWAY/SR 597

Eastbound and westbound Veterans Expressway SPUR/SR 568 between Dale Mabry Highway/SR 597 and Veterans Expressway/SR 589

Overnight single lane closures, 7 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Veteran's Expressway Spur/SR 568 is being improved from Veterans Expressway/SR 589 to Dale Mabry Highway/SR 597 in Hillsborough County. Work includes installing high friction surface treatment to the asphalt which will improve safety, roadway softness and traction for drivers and the installation of new guardrail and pavement markings to improve visibility in all lighting and weather conditions. Construction will continue through 2024. Approximate cost: \$11.3 million.

SUNCOAST PARKWAY/SR 589 EXPANSION FROM SR 44 TO W. NORVELL BRYANT HIGHWAY/CR 486

<u>Eastbound W. Norvell Bryant Highway/CR 486 between Pine Ridge Boulevard and west of N.</u> Iron Point

Daytime single lane closures, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 is being extended three miles northward from SR 44 to W. Norvell Bryant Highway/CR 486 in Citrus County. This extension is a new, four-lane (two lanes in each direction) tolled roadway. Construction will continue through 2026. Approximate cost: \$103 million.

TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE

Veterans Expressway/SR 589

<u>Southbound Veterans Expressway/SR 589 entrance ramp from Hillsborough Avenue/SR 580</u> Overnight full ramp closure, 10:30 p.m. Monday, May 20, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, May 21. **Detour information:**

 Hillsborough Avenue/SR 580 traffic wishing to access Veterans Expressway/SR 589 will continue to Eisenhower Boulevard, travel south on Eisenhower Boulevard to Memorial Highway and travel west on Memorial Highway to access southbound Veterans Expressway.

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: An 18-mile portion of Polk Parkway/SR 570 is being converted to electronic toll collection 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), replacing cash toll collections with electronic toll collection points and demolishing the existing Western and Central Mainline toll plazas. Construction will continue through mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$31.6 million.

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

Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between north of Lakeland/Auburndale/US 92 and south of Pace Road (Mileposts 17 to 24)

Overnight single lane closure, 9 p.m. Sunday, May 19, to 6 a.m. Monday, May 20.

Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, May 20, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23. Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

Eastbound and westbound Old Dixie Highway/CR 546 underneath Polk Parkway/SR 570 (Milepost 18)

Daytime intermittent single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

Eastbound and westbound Pace Road underneath Polk Parkway/SR 570 (Milepost 20)

Intermittent daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

Eastbound and westbound Braddock Road over Polk Parkway/SR 570

Daytime intermittent single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

Southbound and northbound Berkley Road/CR 655 at Braddock Road

Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, May 20, and daily through Thursday, May 23.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Polk Parkway/SR 570 is being widened to four lanes, between Old Dixie Highway/CR 546 and south of Pace Road. The existing four-lane portion between US 92 and I-4 is being resurfaced. 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 the new Braddock Road ramps. Work also consists of resurfacing the ramps at CR 546, improving signage, pavement markings, signalization, lighting, and drainage throughout the project. Construction will continue through 2024. Approximate cost: \$61.2 million.

POLK PARKWAY/SR 570 BRIDGE PAINTING PROJECT

Northbound and southbound Harden Boulevard underneath Polk Parkway/SR 570

Overnight multiple lane closures, 10:30 p.m. to 6:30 a.m., Sunday, May 19, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Overnight multiple lane closure, 10:30 p.m. Thursday, May 23, to 6 a.m. Friday, May 24.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Seven Polk Parkway/SR 570 bridges are being repainted, in Polk County. The life of these bridges will be prolonged by cleaning/repainting the steel components to prevent corrosion, minor structural repairs, and cleaning/repainting the concrete surfaces to reduce water infiltration. Construction will continue through mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$2.5 million.

CENTRAL POLK PARKWAY/SR 570B FROM POLK PARKWAY/SR 570 TO US 17/SR 35

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at US 92 (Exit 17)

Overnight full road closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, May 19, to 6 a.m. Monday, May 20. Overnight full road closures, 8:30 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, May 20, and nightly through Thursday, May 23.

Detour information:

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 traffic wishing to continue west will be directed to exit at US 92 (Exit 17), travel east on US 92 to Recker Highway/SR 655, travel southeast on Recker Highway to Spirit Lake Road, travel south on Spirit Lake Road to Winter Lake Road/SR 540 and travel west on SR 540 to access westbound Polk Parkway.

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 exit ramp to Winter Lake Road/SR 540 (Exit 14)

Long-term full ramp closure through late 2025.

Detour information:

 Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 traffic wishing to access Winter Lake Road/SR 540 (Exit 14) will be directed to exit at US 92 (Exit 17), travel east on US 92 to Recker Highway/CR 655, travel southeast on Recker Highway to Spirit Lake Road and travel south on Spirit Lake Road to access Winter Lake Road.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Central Polk Parkway/SR 570B, a new, four-lane (two lanes in each direction), tolled roadway is being constructed in Polk County. This new stretch of roadway will begin at Polk Parkway/SR 570 and Winter Lake Road/SR 540 and extend approximately 6.5 miles to US 17/SR 35. Construction will continue through 2029. Approximate cost: \$257 million.

TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE

Florida's Turnpike/SR 91

Northbound I-75 exit ramp to Inverness/Wildwood/SR 44 (Exit 329)

Overnight full ramp closure, 10 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, to 6 a.m. Wednesday, May 20.

Detour information:

Northbound I-75 traffic wishing to access Inverness/Wildwood/SR 44 (Exit 329) will be directed to
exit at Sumterville/Lk Panasoffkee/CR 475 to SR 470 (Exit 321), travel north on CR 475 to SR 470,
travel east on SR 470 to US 301, and travel north and then east on US 301 to access SR 44.

Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 entrance ramp from SR 44

Overnight full ramp closure, 10 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, to 6 a.m. Thursday, May 21.

Detour information:

 SR 44 traffic wishing to access southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 will be directed east to US 301 and travel south on US 301 to access southbound Florida's Turnpike.

Polk Parkway/SR 570

Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 entrance ramp from Pace Road

Daytime intermittent single lane closure, 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wednesday, May 22.

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 exit ramp to Pace Road (Exit 23)

Daytime intermittent single lane closure, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wednesday, May 22.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE SYSTEM STATEWIDE OSCEOLA, ORANGE, SEMINOLE, LAKE, SUMTER, HILLSBOROUGH, PASCO, HERNANDO, CITRUS, POLK, DUVAL, and OKALOOSA COUNTIES

NORTHERN & SOUTHERN QUEUE WARNING SYSTEM INSTALLATION PROJECT

No lane closures scheduled.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A queue warning system is being installed along the Turnpike system throughout Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach, Orange, Osceola, and Hillsborough counties. Installation will occur along the Turnpike Extension/SR 821, Florida's Turnpike Mainline/SR 91, Sawgrass Expressway/SR 869, Beachline Expressway/SR 528, Daniel Webster Western Beltway/SR 429, and Veterans Expressway/SR 589. The system will alert motorists in advance of queueing or stopped traffic on the mainline that is backing up from specific congested interchanges through the Turnpike system. Construction will continue through mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$5 million.

SYSTEM-WIDE POWER SYSTEM HARDENING FOR INTELLIGENT TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT

No lane closures scheduled.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Intelligent Transportation System infrastructure is being enhanced throughout Miami-Dade, Palm Beach, Martin, St. Lucie, Okeechobee, Osceola, Orange, Sumter, and Seminole counties. Construction will continue through mid-2024. Approximate cost: \$3.2 million.

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