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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, September 8. 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.

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.

Before traveling, be sure to check real-time traffic information by using the FL511 app, visiting fl511.com, or follow @FL511_Turnpike on social media.

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.

CENTRAL TURNPIKE MAINLINE/SR 91 (Mileposts 188 to 240) OSCEOLA COUNTY

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 ELECTRONIC TOLLING CONVERSION PROJECT PHASE 8 FROM LANTANA TOLL PLAZA TO THREE LAKES TOLL PLAZA

No lane closures scheduled.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being converted to an Electronic Tolling Collection system from milepost 88 to milepost 236. This project includes the installation of new 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. Construction will continue through late 2024. Approximate cost: \$107 million.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT 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, September 8, to 6 a.m. Monday, September 9.

Overnight single lane closures, 8:30 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, September 9, and nightly through Friday, September 13.

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 late-2024. Approximate cost: \$21.8 million.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 WIDENING PROJECT FROM CLAY WHALEY ROAD TO US 192 AND W. NOLTE ROAD INTERCHANGE

Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Clay Whaley Road and US 192

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 is being widened from two to four lanes in each direction, from Clay Whaley Road (formerly Kissimmee Park Road) to US 192 in Osceola County. This project includes constructing a new interchange at W. Nolte Road and removing the existing ramps at Clay Whaley Road once the new interchange is open to traffic. Construction will continue through late 2028. Approximate cost: \$193 million.

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

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FROM CANOE CREEK SERVICE PLAZA TO 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, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

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.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 AND SAND LAKE ROAD/SR 482 INTERCHANGE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Milepost 255 and Milepost 258

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 7 a.m., Monday, September 9 and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

<u>Eastbound and westbound Sand Lake Road/SR 482 from John Young Parkway to Chancellor Drive</u>

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

Northbound and southbound Presidents Drive between Titan Row and Exchange Drive

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

Northbound and southbound Chancellor Drive between Titan Row and Exchange Drive

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A new interchange will be constructed at Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 and Sand Lake Road/SR 482 in Orange County. The project includes enhancing connectivity by constructing a new interchange at Sand Lake Road, increasing roadway longevity and resiliency with the reconstruction of the Sand Lake Road bridge to accommodate new ramps, improving traffic flow by enhancing the intersection of Presidents Drive and Sand Lake Road and providing sidewalks from John Young Parkway to Presidents Drive. Construction will continue through late 2027. Approximate cost: \$114.6 million.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/SR 91 WIDENING PROJECT FROM CLERMONT/SR 50 TO MINNEOLA/HANCOCK ROAD

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, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

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, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

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, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

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

Overnight full ramp closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, September 8, to 5 a.m. Monday, September 9. **Detour information:**

 Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 traffic wishing to access Clermont/SR50 (Exit 272) will be directed to exit at Minneola/Hancock Road (Exit 278) and travel south on Hancock Road to access SR 50.

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.

FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE/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, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Intermittent daytime shoulder closures, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 at Minneola/Hancock Road (Exit 278)

Overnight full road closure, 10 p.m. Thursday, September 12, to 5 a.m. Friday, September 13 **Detour information:**

- Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 traffic wishing to continue north will be directed to exit at Minneola/Hancock Road (Exit 278), travel south on N. Hancock Road to Old Highway 50, travel west on Old Highway 50 to US 27, and travel north on US 27 to access northbound Florida's Turnpike.
- N. Hancock Road traffic wishing to access northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 will be directed south to Old Highway 50, travel west on Old Highway 50 to US 27, and travel north on US 27 to access northbound Florida's Turnpike.

Northbound and southbound CR 561 underneath Florida's Turnpike/SR 91

Overnight full road closures, 9 p.m. Wednesday, September 11, to 5 a.m. Thursday, September 12; and 9 p.m. Thursday, September 12, to 5 a.m. Friday, September 13.

Detour information:

- Northbound CR 561 traffic wishing to continue north will be directed south to US 27, travel south on US 27 to Citrus Grove, travel east on Citrus Grove to N. Hancock Road, travel north on N. Hancock Road to CR 561A, and travel west on CR 561A to access CR 561.
- Southbound CR 561 traffic wishing to continue south will be directed to CR 561A, travel east on CR 561A to N. Hancock Road, travel south on N. Hancock Road to Citrus Grove, travel west on Citrus Grove to US 27, and travel north on US 27 to access CR 561.

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.

SEMINOLE EXPRESSWAY/SR 417 WIDENING PROJECT FROM ALOMA AVENUE/SR 426 TO SR 434

Northbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 between south of SR 426 (Exit 38) and north of SR 434 (Exit 44)

Overnight single lane and shoulder closures, 9 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Daytime shoulder closures, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

Southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 between south of SR 426 (Exit 38) and north of SR 434 (Exit 44)

Overnight single lane and shoulder closures, 8:30 p.m. to 6:30 a.m., Sunday, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Daytime shoulder closures, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is widening Seminole Expressway/SR 417 from four to eight lanes between Aloma Avenue/SR 426 and north of SR 434 in Seminole County. This project includes the addition of two lanes in each direction of Seminole Expressway and replacing five bridges and widening and enhancing 12 existing bridges. Work also consists of underdeck lighting in all bridge spans, crossing roadways and pedestrian facilities and replacing signage and pavement markings. Construction will continue through late 2030. Approximate cost: \$300 million.

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

VETERANS EXPRESSWAY SPUR/SR 568 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT 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

Daytime single lane closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

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 PROJECT FROM SR 44 TO W. NORVELL BRYANT HIGHWAY/CR 486

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

Continuous single lane closure, 8 a.m. Monday, September 9, to 5 a.m. Friday, September 13.

Westbound W. Norvell Bryant Highway/CR 486 between Pine Ridge Boulevard and west of N. Iron Point

Continuous single lane closure, 10 p.m. Monday, September 9, to 5 a.m. Friday, September 13.

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.

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

Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between Milepost 12 and Winter Lake Road/SR 540 (Exit 14)

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between Lakeland Highlands Road/CR 37B (Exit 9) and South Florida Avenue/SR 37 (Exit 7)

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at Bartow Road/Lakeland/US 98 (Exit 10)

Overnight full road closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, September 8, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

Detour information:

- Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 traffic wishing to continue east will be directed to exit at Bartow Road/Lakeland/US 98 (Exit 10), travel south on US 98 to Winter Lake Road/CR 540A, and travel northeast on Winter Lake Road to access eastbound Polk Parkway.
- Southbound US 98 traffic wishing to access eastbound Polk Parkway will continue south on US 98 to Winter Lake Road/CR 540A, and travel northeast on Winter Lake Road to access eastbound Polk Parkway

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 entrance ramp from westbound Winter Lake Road/SR 540 Overnight full ramp closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Sunday, September 8, and nightly through Thursday,

September 12.

Detour information:

Westbound Winter Lake Road/SR 540 traffic wishing to access westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570
will be directed to Bartow Road/US 98, and travel north on Bartow Road to access westbound Polk
Parkway.

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 late 2024. Approximate cost: \$31.6 million.

POLK PARKWAY/SR 570 WIDENING AND RESURFACING PROJECT 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)

Daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday, September 9, and daily through Friday, September 13.

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.

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

Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between Winter Lake Road/SR 540 and US 92

Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, September 8, to 6 a.m. Monday, September 9. Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, September 9, and nightly through Thursday, September 12.

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.

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/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 late 2024. Approximate cost: \$5 million.

SYSTEM-WIDE QUEUE WARNING SYSTEM ENHANCEMENTS PROJECT

No lane closures scheduled.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is enhancing the queue warning system along the Turnpike system throughout Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach, Orange, Osceola, Sumter, and Hillsborough counties. Installation will occur along the Turnpike Extension/SR 821, Florida's Turnpike/SR 91, Sawgrass Expressway/SR 869, 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 early 2025. Approximate cost: \$3.6 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 late 2024. Approximate cost: \$3.2 million.

TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE

Florida's Turnpike/SR 91

Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 entrance ramp from eastbound Central Florida GreeneWay/SR 417

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 10 p.m. Tuesday, September 10, to 5 a.m. Wednesday, September 11.

Interstate 4 (I-4)/I-4 Express

Eastbound I-4 Express at Lee Road (Milepost 88)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 11 p.m. Thursday, September 12, to 5 a.m. Friday, September 13.

Eastbound I-4 Express at Wymore Road (Milepost 91)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 11 p.m. Wednesday, September 11, to 5 a.m. Thursday, September 12.

Interstate 275 (I-275)/I-275 Express

Southbound I-275 Express at Roosevelt Boulevard (Milepost 29)

Overnight full road closure, 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 10, to 5 a.m. Wednesday, September 11. **Detour information:**

 Southbound I-275 Express traffic wishing to continue south will be directed to the general use lanes to continue south.

Interstate 295 (I-295)/I-295 Express

Northbound I-295 Express at Phillips Parkway (Milepost 59)

Overnight full road closure, 10:30 p.m. Monday, September 9, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, September 10. **Detour information:**

 Northbound I-295 Express traffic wishing to continue north will be directed to the general use lanes to continue north.

Polk Parkway/SR 570

Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 at Harden Boulevard/SR 563 (Milepost 5)

Daytime single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sunday, September 8, and daily through Friday, September 13.

Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 exit ramp to County Line Road/CR 578 (Exit 37)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 10:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 11, to 5 a.m. Thursday, September 12.

Gateway Expressway/SR 690

Eastbound Gateway Expressway/SR 690 at Gateway Mainline Toll Gantry (Milepost 2)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 11 p.m. Monday, September 9, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, September 10.

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