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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, July 6. 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 Independence Day holiday from 6 a.m. Thursday, July 3, to 10 p.m. Sunday, July 6, 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.

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 <a href="mailto:Louis.Grisoglio@dot.state.fl.us">Louis.Grisoglio@dot.state.fl.us</a>. Additional project information can be found on the project websites at <a href="https://www.floridasturnpike.com">www.floridasturnpike.com</a>.

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

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

#### Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Milepost 235 and Milepost 236

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 mid-2025. Approximate cost: \$107 million.

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### 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 (Milepost 239 to Milepost 242)

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

**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 early 2029. Approximate cost: \$193 million.

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

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

### Northbound and southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Beachline Expressway/SR 528 and Interstate 4 (Milepost 255 to Milepost 258)

Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, July 6, to 6 a.m. Monday, July 7.

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

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

<u>Eastbound Sand Lake Road/SR 482 between John Young Parkway/SR 423 and Chancellor Drive</u> Long-term single lane closure through late 2027.

<u>Westbound Sand Lake Road/SR 482 between Chancellor Drive and John Young Parkway/SR 423</u> Long-term single lane closure through late 2027.

**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 (Milepost 273 to Milepost 279)

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

# Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 exit ramp to W. Colonial Drive/SR 50/Winter Garden/Clermont (Exit 272)

Overnight full ramp closures, 10 p.m. to 5:30 a.m., Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

#### **Detour Information:**

• Northbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 traffic wishing to access W. Colonial Drive/SR 50/Winter Garden/Clermont (Exit 272) will be directed to exit at Ocoee/SR 50 (Exit 267B).

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

Overnight full ramp closures, 10 p.m. to 5:30 a.m., Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

#### **Detour Information:**

 W. Colonial Drive traffic wishing to access southbound Florida's Turnpike will be directed to travel east on SR 50 to access southbound Florida's Turnpike.

**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 CR 438 and CR 455 bridges 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 (Milepost 279 to Milepost 286)

Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, July 6, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 7.

Overnight single lane closures, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

Intermittent daytime shoulder closures, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, July 7, and daily through Thursday, July 10.

### Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 between Tavares/US 27/SR 19 (Exit 289) and Minneola/ Hancock Road (Exit 278)

Overnight full road closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, July 6, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 7.

#### **Detour information:**

- Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 traffic wishing to continue south will be directed to exit at Tavares/US 27/SR 19 (Exit 289), travel south on US 27 to Old Highway 50, travel east on Old Highway 50 to N. Hancock Road, and travel north on N. Hancock Road to access southbound Florida's Turnpike.
- US 27/SR 19 traffic wishing to access southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 will be directed south
  on US 27 to Old Highway 50, travel east on Old Highway 50 to N. Hancock Road, and travel north
  on N. Hancock Road to access southbound Florida's Turnpike.

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

Continuous full road closure, 9 p.m. Friday, July 11, to 5 a.m. Monday, July 14.

#### **Detour information:**

- Northbound CR 561 traffic wishing to continue north will be directed 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.

### SOUTHERN CONNECTOR EXTENSION/SR 417 RESURFACING AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FROM CELEBRATION AVENUE TO INTERNATIONAL DRIVE

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The Southern Connector Extension/SR 417 is being resurfaced from Celebration Avenue (milepost 2) to International Drive/World Center Drive (milepost 6) in Osceola and Orange counties. Work will include paving the Southern Connector mainline and the interchanges at Celebration Avenue (Exit 2) and Osceola Parkway (Exit 3). This project also includes installing new guardrails, rumble strips, and highly reflective signs and pavement markings, and upgrading existing drainage. Construction will continue through early 2026. Approximate cost: \$10.7 million.

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

### Northbound and southbound Seminole Expressway/SR 417 between south of Aloma Avenue/SR 426 and north of SR 434 (Milepost 38 to Milepost 44)

Overnight single lane closures, 10 p.m. to 7 a.m., Sunday, July 6, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

Daytime shoulder closures, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday, July 7, and daily through Friday, July 11.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Seminole Expressway/SR 417 is being widened 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.

### BEACHLINE EAST EXPRESSWAY/SR 528 INTELLIGENT TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM ENHANCEMENTS PROJECT FROM SR 520 TO INDUSTRY ROAD

### <u>Eastbound and westbound Beachline East Expressway/SR 528 between SR 520 and Industry Road</u>

Intermittent daytime shoulder closures, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday, July 7, and daily through Friday, July 11.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) devices are being enhanced along Beachline East Expressway/SR 528 at various locations between SR 520 and Industry Road in Orange and Brevard counties. This project includes adding roadway weather systems, closed circuit television, dynamic messaging sign devices, and full color overhead electronic signs. A new lighting system will also be installed at the Industry Road/Clearlake Road/SR 524 interchange. Construction will continue through early 2026. Approximate cost: \$19.5 million.

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

#### **VETERANS EXPRESSWAY/SR 589 EMERGENCY STOPPING SITES PROJECT**

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** New emergency stopping sites on Veterans Expressway/SR 589 are being constructed between milepost 3 and milepost 12 in Hillsborough County. Work includes widening or resurfacing existing pavement, minor drainage improvements, lighting, signing, and pavement markings. Construction will continue through mid-2025. Approximate cost: \$4.8 million.

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

### Eastbound and westbound SR 44 between N. Maynard Road and N. Maylen Avenue

Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday, July 6, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

#### Eastbound and westbound SR 44 between N. Maynard Road and N. Maylen Avenue

Daytime single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, July 7, and daily through Friday, July 11.

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

Daytime single lane closures, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday, July 7, and daily through Friday, July 11.

**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 late 2025. Approximate cost: \$103 million.

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

# <u>Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 entrance and exit ramps between Airport Road</u> (Exit 3) and Lakeland Highlands Road (Exit 9)

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

### <u>Eastbound and Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between South Florida Avenue (Exit 7) and</u> Lakeland Highlands Road (Exit 9)

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

### Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 entrance and exit ramps to Old Dixie Highway (Exit 18)

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

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

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

### Eastbound and westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between Milepost 15 and Milepost 16.

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

**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-2025. Approximate cost: \$31.6 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 north of Auburndale/Lakeland/US 92 and east of Winter Lake Road/SR 540 (Milepost 13 and Milepost 16.5)

Overnight single lane closure, 10 p.m. Sunday, July 6, to 6 a.m. Monday, July 7.

Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

#### 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.

### POLK PARKWAY/SR 570 RESURFACING AND ROADSIDE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FROM WEST OF LAKELAND HIGHLANDS ROAD TO SOUTH OF US 92

### <u>Eastbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between east of Lakeland Highlands Road (Exit 9) and west of Lakeland/Auburndale/US 92 (Exit 17)</u>

Overnight single lane closures, 8 p.m. to 6 a.m., Monday, July 7, and nightly through Thursday, July 10.

### <u>Eastbound/Westbound Polk Parkway/SR 570 between east of Lakeland Highland (Exit 9) and</u> west of Lakeland/Auburndale/US 92 (Exit 17)

Weekend single lane closures, 8 p.m. Friday, July 11, to 6 a.m. Monday, July 14.

### <u>Westbound Winter Lake Road/SR 540 entrance ramp to Polk Parkway/SR 570 at DeCastro</u> Road intersection

Continuous single lane closure, 8 p.m. Tuesday, June 24, to 6 a.m. Tuesday, July 22.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Polk Parkway/SR 570 is being resurfaced from west of Lakeland Highlands Road (milepost 8) to south of US 92 (milepost 17) in Polk County. Work will include paving Polk Parkway and the ramps at US 98, Lakeland Highlands Road and Winter Lake Road/SR 540. This project also includes installing new guardrails, rumble strips, and highly reflective signs and pavement markings, and upgrading existing drainage. Construction will continue through mid-2026. Approximate cost: \$20 million.

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

### CENTRAL FLORIDA WRONG-WAY DETECTION TECHNOLOGY IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT

No lane closures scheduled.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Wrong-Way Vehicle Detection Systems (WWVDS) are being enhanced throughout Hillsborough, Pasco, Hernando, Polk, Orange, and Brevard counties by increasing the amount of wrong-way signage, roadway reflectors and pavement markings in locations along Florida's Turnpike/State Road (SR) 91, Beachline Expressway/SR 528, Polk Parkway/SR 589, and Veterans Expressway/Suncoast Parkway/SR 589. Construction will continue through late 2025. Approximate cost: \$11 million.

#### **TOLL EQUIPMENT & OPERATIONS MAINTENANCE**

#### Florida's Turnpike/SR 91

Southbound Florida's Turnpike/SR 91 exit ramp to Central Florida GreeneWay/SR 417 (Exit 251) Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 10 p.m. Wednesday, July 9, to 5 a.m. Thursday, July 10.

#### Suncoast Parkway/SR 589

### Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 exit ramp to Ridge Road/CR 524 (Exit 25)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 10:30 p.m. Monday, July 7, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, July 8.

#### Southbound Suncoast Parkway/SR 589 at Sugarmill Mainline Toll Gantry (Milepost 57)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 9 p.m. Wednesday, July 9, to 5 a.m. Thursday, July 10.

#### Wekiva Parkway/SR 429

#### Southbound Wekiva Parkway/SR 429 at Mount Plymouth Mainline Toll Gantry (Milepost 43)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 10:30 p.m. Monday, July 7, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, July 8.

#### First Coast Expressway/SR 23

### Southbound First Coast Expressway/SR 23 at Argyle Forest Mainline Toll Gantry (Milepost 38)

Overnight intermittent single lane closure, 10:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 9, to 5 a.m. Thursday, July 10.

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