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Landscaping Project Begins the Week of February 15

State Road (SR) 9A/I-95

Miami, FL – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin a landscaping project the week of February 15, 2016. The project area extends along SR 9A/I-95 from just north of SR 860/NE 183 Street/Miami Gardens Drive to the Miami-Dade/Broward County Line. The project will cost an estimated \$2.88 million. The construction work will last approximately nine months and includes the following:

- Installing palms, trees and shrubs
- Removing and replacing diseased and damaged trees

To complete this work safely, it will be necessary to close travel lanes at times. Tasks will be done in stages and lane closures will be scheduled to keep traffic moving and avoid special community events.

Please note this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unexpected conditions.

For more information, please call FDOT's Public Information Office at 305-470-5349 or Construction Public Information Specialist Sergies Duarte at 305-640-7462 or go to the website at www.fdotmiamidade.com.

Drivers are encouraged to call 511 before they travel or log on to www.fl511.com to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. FDOT would like to remind drivers that wearing a safety belt is the single most effective way to protect people and reduce fatalities in motor vehicle crashes. Please drive cautiously in construction zones.