

For Immediate Release May 3, 2016

Maribel Lena, 305-470-5349 maribel.lena@dot.state.fl.us

Closure of Southbound State Road (SR) 826 Exit Ramps to SR 836 and Milam Dairy Road/NW 72 Avenue and NW 87 Avenue/NW 12 Street

Miami, FL – The southbound SR 826 ramps to eastbound and westbound SR 836 and Milam Dairy Road/NW 72 Avenue and NW 87 Avenue/NW 12 Street will be closed on Tuesday, May 3 and Wednesday, May 4 (Thursday, May 5 is an alternate date), between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.

Southbound drivers on SR 826 going to eastbound or westbound SR 836 can:

- Continue south and exit at the SW 8 Street east ramp
- Enter the northbound SR 826 ramp to access the eastbound or westbound SR 836 ramp

Southbound drivers on SR 826 going to NW 72 Avenue/Milam Dairy Road can:

- Continue south and exit at West Flagler Street
- Go east to connect with NW 72 Avenue/Milam Dairy Road

Southbound drivers on SR 826 going to NW 87 Avenue/NW 12 Street can:

- Continue south and exit at West Flagler Street, west to NW 87 Avenue
- North to NW 12 Street

The closure will allow contractor to place asphalt on the roadway. **Please note that this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unforeseen conditions.** For more information about the SR 826/SR 836 Interchange Reconstruction Project, please contact Construction Public Information Specialist Oscar Gonzalez at 786-280-0983 or Project Engineer Francis Chin at 305-388-5450 or go to <u>www.826-836.com</u>.

Drivers are encouraged to call 511 before they drive or log on to <u>www.fl511.com</u> to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. FDOT reminds 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 work zones.