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Roadway Project Begins the Week of May 30

State Road (SR) 90/SW 8 Street

Miami, FL – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin a roadway construction project the week of May 30, 2016, along SR 90/SW 8 Street from SW 39 Avenue to east of SW 34 Avenue and at the intersection of LeJeune Road in Miami-Dade County. This project will cost an estimated \$1.1 million. The work will last roughly five months and includes the following:

- Repaving and restriping the roadway
- Upgrading traffic signs and signals
- Upgrading signage and pavement markings
- Upgrading pedestrian ramps and signs
- Upgrading pedestrian crosswalks at various locations
- Extending left turn lanes at the intersections of SW 34 Avenue, SW 35 Avenue, SW 37 Avenue, SW 42 Avenue and Galiano Street
- Installing a new concrete median at SW 39 Avenue and at Ponce de Leon Boulevard
- Minor widening between SW 33 Avenue and SW 35 Avenue
- Relocating some existing drainage structures
- Relocating four lighting poles

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 that 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 Jackie Lata at 305-640-7441 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.