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State Road (SR) 969/NW 72 Avenue Roadway Project Begins Week of August 30, 2021

From W Flagler Street to NW 7 Street

MIAMI, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin a roadway project the week of August 30, 2021, along SR 969/NW 72 Avenue/Milam Dairy Road from W Flagler Street to NW 7 Street in Miami-Dade County. This project will cost an estimated \$760,000 and will take about seven months to complete.

The scope of work includes reconstructing various driveways and sidewalks, replacing pedestrian curb ramps and railings, adjusting stormwater drainage and utility manholes, upgrading pavement markings and crosswalks at various locations, updating street lighting and repaving and restriping roadway.

Construction will be done in stages with temporary lane closures scheduled to avoid special community events and peak periods of traffic. Temporary sidewalk detours will be in place when necessary. Access to and from adjacent neighborhoods and businesses will be maintained during construction.

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 Senior Community Outreach Specialist Sergies Duarte at (305) 216-3617, or go to the website at www.fdotmiamidade.com. Drivers are encouraged to 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.

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