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## Northbound State Road (SR) 826 Closed at Sunset Drive November 28 and 29, 2011

Miami-Dade County – All northbound lanes on State Road (SR) 826 will be closed at SW 72 Street/Sunset Drive and traffic will be detoured from 11 p.m. to 5:30 a.m., Monday, November 28, for a northbound traffic shift and Tuesday, November 29, for roadwork. The entrance ramp from Sunset Drive to northbound SR 826 will also be closed at this time. The alternate night for this closure will be Wednesday, November 30. Detours will be:

**Drivers going north on SR 826 who want to continue going north** will exit at Sunset Drive, go east on Sunset Drive to NW 72 Avenue, go north on SW 72 Avenue to SW 56 Street/Miller Drive, and go west on Miller Drive to the northbound SR 826 entrance ramp.

**Drivers going east on Sunset Drive who want to go north on SR 826** will continue east to SW 72 Avenue, go north on SW 72 Avenue to Miller Drive, and go west on Miller Drive to the northbound SR 826 entrance ramp.

**Drivers going west on Sunset Drive who want to go north on SR 826** will continue west to SW 87 Avenue/Galloway Road, go north on Galloway Road to Miller Drive, and go east on Miller Drive to the northbound SR 826 entrance ramp.

For more information about this closure or construction schedule, please call the Florida Department of Transportation's (FDOT) Public Information Office at (305) 470-5349 or contact Construction Public Information Specialist Tish Burgher at (305) 640-7460. Information about this and other FDOT construction projects in Miami-Dade and Monroe counties can be found at www.fdotmiamidade.com.

Drivers are encouraged to call 511 before they drive, or log on to <a href="www.fl511.com">www.fl511.com</a> 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.