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## FDOT to Host Public Meeting for Two Roadway Safety Projects

State Road (SR) 5/SE 2 Avenue/Biscayne Boulevard

*Miami*, *FL* –The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District Six is developing the design for two roadway safety projects along SR 5/SE 2 Avenue from SE 2 Street to SE 4 Street and SR 5/Biscayne Boulevard from SE 3 Avenue to north of SE 2 Street, in Miami-Dade County.

The public information meeting will be held **from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 29, 2015 at First Presbyterian Church of Miami, 609 Brickell Avenue, Miami, Florida 33131.** Attendees may arrive at any time from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Graphic displays of the project will be shown and FDOT staff will be on hand to discuss the project and answer questions.

The proposed work for these projects includes:

## **Project Identification Number: 412473-7-52-01**

- Repaying and resurfacing the road
- Modifying traffic signals
- Relocating a lighting pole
- Modifying connection of I-95 ramp to accommodate a pedestrian refuge island
- Upgrading pedestrian curb ramps to current standards
- Installing pedestrian push buttons, high emphasis crosswalks, flashing beacons and curb ramps
- Adding signage and pavement markings

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- Repaying and resurfacing the road
- Upgrading drainage to current standards
- Updating signage and pavement markings
- Adding a new bicycle lane and "Share the Road" pavement markings
- Replacing vehicle detectors at all intersections
- Replacing and relocating pedestrian signals at the intersections of SE 2 Street and Chopin Plaza to meet current standards
- Upgrading pedestrian curb ramps to current standards

Construction is expected to begin in September 2017 and last about six months. The estimated construction cost of the projects is \$2.9 million.

Please contact Public Information Specialist Jeanette Gorgas if you have any questions about these projects at 786-239-8862 or email at <u>jgorgas@mrgmiami.com</u> or Sandra Bello at 305-470-5349 or email at <u>sandra.bello@dot.state.fl.us</u>.

FDOT encourages public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, gender, religion, disability or family status. Persons who need special assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 or who need translation services (free of charge) should contact, Ivette Ruiz-Paz at 305-470-5349 or in writing at FDOT, 1000 NW 111 Avenue, Miami, FL 33172 or by email at: <a href="ivette.ruiz-paz@dot.state.fl.us">ivette.ruiz-paz@dot.state.fl.us</a> at least seven days prior to the public meeting.