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## FDOT District Six to Host Alternatives Public Workshop For the Venetian Causeway PD&E Study

*Miami, FL* – The Florida Department of Transportation District Six (FDOT) will host an Alternatives Public Workshop for the Venetian Causeway Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study. The purpose of the proposed project is to address identified structural and functional deficiencies of the twelve existing bridges (ten low-level fixed spans and two movable bascules) through potential alternatives such as replacement or rehabilitation.

Graphics and aerial maps will be on display for public review, and representatives from the FDOT will be available to answer questions. The workshop will be held on Wednesday, May 13, 2015 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Miami Beach Botanical Garden, located at 2000 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, FL 33139. A formal presentation will begin at 7:30 p.m.

To request further information concerning this project or the scheduled Alternatives Public Workshop, please contact Mr. Dat Huynh, P.E., District Project Development Engineer, at 305-470-5217, by email at dat.huynh@dot.state.fl.us or visit the project website at www.fdotmiamidade.com/VenetianBridgeStudy.

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 Ms. Eman Gomaa, P.E., at 305-470-5219 or via email at eman.gomaa@dot.state.fl.us at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

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