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Landscaping Project Begins the Week of May 25

State Road (SR) 968/West Flagler Street

Miami, FL – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin a landscaping project the week of May 25, 2015. The project area extends along SR 968/West Flagler Street from SW 72 Avenue/Milam Dairy Road to SW 27 Avenue in the City of Miami. The project will cost an estimated \$205,000. The work will last roughly two months and includes the following:

- Installing palms within the new medians
- Installing trees/palms adjacent to sidewalks at select locations

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.

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