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NW 57 Avenue Sidewalk Improvement Project Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

Monday, June 22, 2015, 10:00 a.m.

Miami, FL – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will host a ribbon cutting ceremony for the completion of the sidewalk improvement project along NW 57 Avenue from Honey Hill Drive to Florida's Turnpike on Monday, June 22, at 10 a.m., at the Royal Country Community, 5602 NW 204 Street in Miami-Dade County.

This ribbon cutting ceremony will highlight the overall importance of pedestrian safety and the effort being made to improve conditions for not only motorists but pedestrians as well.

The SR 823/NW 57 Avenue sidewalk improvement project added approximately 1.1 miles of sidewalk along the east side of NW 57 Avenue/Red Road from NW 202 Street/Honey Hill Drive to Florida's Turnpike exit ramp. Additional drainage was also included to accommodate the sidewalk for the section between the Florida's Turnpike ramps.

With the support of Miami-Dade County Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan and the surrounding community, the design phase for this project began in October 2010 and was completed in April 2014. Construction began in January 2015 after extensive coordination with multiple agencies and stakeholders, and the ribbon cutting ceremony marks its completion.

Please note that this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unexpected weather conditions. For additional information about the upcoming Ribbon Cutting Ceremony, please contact FDOT's Public Information Office at 305-470-5349 or Public Information Specialist Jackie Lata at 305-640-7441.

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