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Closure of SW 8 Street Ramps to Northbound State Road (SR) 826

Miami, FL – The westbound and eastbound SW 8 Street entrance ramps to northbound SR 826 will be closed on Thursday, October 15 (Friday, October 16 is an alternate date), between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.

Westbound and eastbound drivers on SW 8 Street going to north SR 826 can:

- Enter the southbound SR 826 ramp
- Exit at Coral Way, turn east to access the northbound SR 826 ramp

The closures will allow the contractor to install an overhead sign structure and panel. Please note that this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unforeseen conditions.

For more information about the SR 826/SR 836 Interchange Reconstruction Project, please contact Construction Public Information Specialist Oscar Gonzalez at 786-280-0983 or Project Engineer Francis Chin at 305-388-5450 or go to <u>www.826-836.com</u>.

Drivers are encouraged to call 511 before they drive or log on to <u>www.fl511.com</u> to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. FDOT reminds 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 work zones.

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