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# FDOT Golden Glades Interchange (GGI) Project Lane and Ramp Closures & Detours

Sunday, May 19 to Thursday, May 23

**MIAMI, Fla.** – As part of the ongoing interchange reconstruction work, contractors for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will be implementing various roadway closures and detours. These closures will allow crews to perform bridge work, roadway paving and temporary concrete barrier wall installation. These closures and detours will be in place between the hours of 11 p.m. and 5 a.m.

# Sunday, May 19 through Thursday, May 23:

The ramps and roadways listed below will be closed and traffic will be detoured as follows:

- 1. Ramp from NW 167 Street to southbound Interstate 95 (I-95)
- 2. Ramp from State Road (SR) 7/US 441/NW 2 Avenue to southbound I-95
- 3. Southbound and northbound I-95 Express Lanes
  - 1. Drivers going west on NW 167 Street, who want to go south on I-95 will be detoured as follows:
    - Continue west and take the ramp to westbound Sr 826/Palmetto Expressway
    - Exit at NW 12 Avenue and turn left onto southbound NW 12 Avenue
    - Turn left onto eastbound NW 167 Street and take the ramp onto eastbound Palmetto Expressway
    - Take the ramp to southbound I-95
  - 2. Drivers going south on SR 7/US 441/NW 2 Avenue, who want to go south on I-95 will be detoured as follows:
    - Continue south along SR 7/US 441/NW 2 Avenue, which converts to SR 7/US 441/NW 7 Avenue
    - Turn left onto eastbound NW 135 Street
    - Take the ramp onto southbound I-95
  - 3. Drivers who want to take the northbound and southbound I-95 Express Lanes between NW 30 Street and NW 183 Street/Miami Gardens Drive, will be directed to use the general purpose lanes along I-95.

#### Wednesday, May 22 and Thursday, May 23:

The ramps and roadways listed below will be closed and traffic will be detoured as follows:

- 1. Ramp from NW 167 Street to westbound Palmetto Expressway
- 2. Ramp from northbound SR 9 to the interchange
- 3. Ramp from northbound SR 7/US 441/NW 7 Avenue to the interchange
  - 1. Drivers going west on NW 167 Street, who want to go west on the Palmetto Expressway will be detoured as follows:
    - Go north onto SR 7/US 441/NW 2 Avenue
    - Turn left onto westbound NW 7 Avenue Extension
    - Continue west for westbound Palmetto Expressway
  - 2. Drivers going north on SR 9, who want to access the Golden Glades Interchange will be detoured as follows:
    - Go east on NW 135 Street
    - Take the ramp onto northbound I-95
  - 3. Drivers going north on SR 7/US 441/NW 7 Avenue, who want to access the Golden Glades Interchange will be detoured as follows:
    - Go south on SR 7/US 441/NW 7 Avenue
    - Turn left onto eastbound NW 135 Street
    - Take the ramp onto northbound I-95

These lane closures below will occur nightly as needed:

### I-95 between NW 135 Street and the Golden Glades Interchange

From 11 p.m. to 5 a.m., up to two lanes in both directions will be closed as needed.

#### Palmetto Expressway between NW 12 Avenue and NW 7 Avenue Extension

- At 9 p.m., one lane in both directions will be closed as needed.
- At 11 p.m., a second lane in both directions will be closed as needed.

#### Florida's Turnpike between NW 183 Street/Miami Gardens Drive and I-95

• From 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., up to two lanes in both directions will be closed as needed.

Detours will be clearly marked. Please follow all posted signage and note that this schedule may change due to weather or other unexpected conditions.

For more information, please contact FDOT's Communications Office at (305) 470-5349 or Senior Community Outreach Specialist Sergies Duarte at (305) 588-6399 or at Sergies. Duarte@dot.state.fl.us or visit our website at www.Go-GGI.com.

For real-time traffic and lane closure information, drivers are encouraged to visit www.fl511.com.

Remember, wearing a safety belt is the single most effective way to protect people and reduce fatalities in motor vehicle crashes. Always be safe and remain alert while driving in construction zones.

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