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## FDOT State Road (SR) 90/US 41/SW 8 Street Roadway Project Begins Week of January 3

*From SW 74 Court to SR 9/SW 27 Avenue*

**MIAMI, Fla.** – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin a roadway project the week of January 3, 2023. The project limits extend along SR 90/US 41/SW 8 Street from SW 74 Court to SR 9/SW 27 Avenue in Miami-Dade County. This project will cost an estimated \$13.8 million and will take about 16 months to complete.

The scope of work includes adding two signalized mid-block pedestrian crossings at SW 44 Avenue and Genoa Street, installing pedestrian ramps, detectable warning surfaces, signage, pavement markings, countdown signals and pushbuttons, installing high-emphasis crosswalks at various locations, reconstructing damaged sidewalks and removing abandoned driveways, upgrading existing light poles with light-emitting diodes (LED) at various locations and adding traffic detection video equipment at several signalized intersections. The project also includes installing no left turn signs at various locations, painted traffic islands with plastic poles on the north side of SW 44 Avenue and south side of SW 43 Avenue, stop for pedestrian signs at various locations, as well as adjusting utility manholes and valves at several locations and repaving and restriping the roadway.

Access to and from adjacent neighborhoods and businesses will be maintained during construction. 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 contact Community Outreach Specialist Sergies Duarte at (305) 216-3617 or by email at [Sergies.Duarte@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Sergies.Duarte@dot.state.fl.us) or go to the website at [www.fdotmiamidade.com](http://www.fdotmiamidade.com).

Drivers are encouraged to log on to [www.fl511.com](http://www.fl511.com) to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. FDOT reminds motorists to always drive safely and avoid distractions while driving. Remember to put down cell phones. Florida law restricts motorists from using a wireless device in a school zone or an active construction zone.

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