

RON DESANTIS GOVERNOR 1000 N.W. 111 Avenue Miami, Florida 33172 JARED W. PERDUE, P.E. SECRETARY

Contact: Tish Burgher

For Immediate Release April 18, 2024

(305) 470-5277 | Tish.Burgher@dot.state.fl.us

Full Closure of NW South River Drive from NW 116 Way to west of NW 115 Way

April 19 through April 22, 2024

MIAMI, Fla. – Starting at 8 p.m. on Friday, April 19, 2024, travel lanes along NW South River Drive between NW 116 Way and west of NW 115 Way will be closed. Lanes will reopen by 5 a.m. on Monday, April 22, 2024. This closure will allow the contractor to connect drainage pipes in the area. The following detours will be implemented:

- Motorists heading north on NW 116 Way wishing to access NW South River Drive, will be detoured to make a right at SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road and make a right at NW 105 Way to access NW South River Drive.
- Motorists heading south on Hialeah Gardens Boulevard wishing to access NW South River Drive will be detoured to make a left at SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road, make a right at NW 105 Way, and continue to NW South River Drive.
- Motorists heading southbound/eastbound on SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road wishing to access NW South River Drive, will be detoured to make a right at NW 105 Way to continue to NW South River Drive.
- Motorists along NW South River Drive wishing to continue eastbound will be detoured to make a left on NW 116 Way, a right on SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road, and a right on NW 105 Way, to continue to NW South River Drive.
- Motorists on NW South River Drive, east of NW 115 Way, wishing to access SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road, will be detoured to continue east on NW South River Drive and make a left on NW 105 Way to continue onto SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road.

Access to the local businesses, U-Gas and Wawa Gas Station will be maintained at all times.

Please note, this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unforeseen conditions.

This project is part of the corridor wide reconstruction of the SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road from the Broward County Line to SR 826/Palmetto Expressway. This work will improve safety, enhance mobility along this Strategic Intermodal Systems (SIS) corridor, and inspire innovative transportation solutions, connecting commuters throughout Miami-Dade County.

For additional information, please call FDOT's Public Information Office at (305) 470-5349 or contact the Senior Community Outreach Specialist Maria Alzate at (305) 560-8218 or by email at Maria.Alzate@dot.state.fl.us. You can also visit, www.southflroads.com/okeechobee.

Drivers are encouraged to log on to www.fl511.com before they travel to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. The Florida Department of Transportation 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.

###

Southflroads.com | @MyFDOT_Miami | Facebook.com/MyFDOTMiami

The Florida Department of Transportation's mission is to provide a safe transportation system that ensures the mobility of people and goods, enhances economic prosperity, and preserves the quality of the state's environment and communities. The department is committed to building a transportation system that not only fits the current needs of Florida's residents and visitors, but also enhances mobility throughout the state to accommodate its consistent and rapid growth. The unique nature of the Sunshine State and its year-round warm climate provides numerous opportunities to achieve the department's mission through multiple transportation modes including highways/streets, air, rail, sea, spaceports, transit, and the ever-expanding deployment of bicycle & pedestrian facilities.

