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SR 5/US 1/Overseas Highway Nighttime Southbound and Northbound Closures Begin on April 13 and April 16

Jewfish Creek Bridge Mile Marker (MM) 108.4 to the Miami-Dade County Line (MM 112.8) in Monroe County

MIAMI, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation will continue nightly road closures and detours on State Road (SR) 5/US 1/Overseas Highway from Jewfish Creek Bridge MM 108.4 to the Miami-Dade County Line MM 112.8.

The road closures will occur at **night beginning at 8 p.m. through 6 a.m.** as follows:

- **Southbound in Florida City - Sunday, April 13 through Friday, May 2**
- **Northbound in Key Largo - Wednesday, April 16 through Thursday, April 17**

During these road closures traffic will detour to Card Sound Road and tolls will be suspended so crews may complete paving work and reconstruction work.

In addition, a traffic shift will be implemented on the temporary paved roadway to allow crews to perform these improvements.

Truck drivers are reminded that Monroe County has posted new weight restrictions on Card Sound Road on the approach to Mosquito Creek and Tubby's Creek Bridges. Weight limits for these bridges cannot exceed 21 tons. The Department has installed signage at SR 5/US 1/Overseas Highway and Card Sound Road to increase awareness of those weight restrictions.

Please follow the posted signage and note that drivers may experience delays traveling through the area. This schedule may change due to weather or unexpected conditions.

For more information, please contact FDOT's Communications Office at (305) 470-5349 or visit our website at www.southflroads.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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