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State Road (SR) 5/US 1/Overseas Highway Nighttime Lane Closures To Occur August 25

Between Mile Marker (MM) 75.0 and MM 76.5 in Islamorada

MIAMI, Fla. – On Thursday, August 25, 2022, between the hours of 9 p.m. and 5 a.m., at least one northbound and/or southbound lane of SR 5/US 1/Overseas Highway will be closed from MM 75.0 to MM 76.5, for emergency roadway paving.

During this nighttime operation, one lane will remain open at all times and flaggers will be used to direct traffic through the work zone. Drivers might experience delays traveling through the area.

Please use caution when traveling through construction zones and note that this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unexpected conditions.

This work is part of the ongoing roadway construction project along SR 5/US1/Overseas Highway between south of Tollgate Boulevard MM 73.75 to Lignumvitae Channel MM 77.5. For more information, please contact FDOT's Public Information Office at (305) 470-5349, or Community Outreach Specialist Christian Gonzalez at (786) 837-4884 or csgonzalez@corradino.com. For additional information about this or other FDOT projects, please visit www.fdotmonroe.com.

Drivers are encouraged to log on to www.fl511.com before they travel to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. FDOT would like to remind drivers that wearing a safety belt is the single most effective way to protect people and reduce fatalities in motor vehicle crashes.

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