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### **State Road (SR) 5/Overseas Highway Traffic Pacing Operation Begins June 1**

*On Channel 5 Bridge (#900098), Mile Marker (MM) 71.4*

**MIAMI, Fla.** – Beginning Tuesday, June 1 through Friday, June 18, traffic pacing will occur on the Channel 5 Bridge between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m., while engineers inspect the bridge columns. Law enforcement officers will slow traffic down as needed. Two lanes will remain open, but drivers, bicyclists and pedestrians may experience delays.

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 Construction Community Outreach Specialist Paulette Summers at (786) 510-3921.

Drivers are encouraged to log on to [www.fl511.com](http://www.fl511.com) 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 vehicles crashes. Please drive cautiously in construction zones.

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*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*