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### **SR 826/Palmetto Expressway Capacity Project Lane and Road Closures and Detours**

*Friday, October 4 to Saturday, October 12*

**MIAMI, Fla.** – Drivers will experience road, lane and shoulder closures and detours on and near State Road (SR) 826/Palmetto Expressway from Friday, October 4 to Saturday, October 12, 2024. The closures are necessary to allow for conducting bridge and drainage work.

This Weekend's Closures:

- SR 826/Palmetto Expressway southbound exit ramp at SR 932/NW 103 Street will be closed, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Friday, October 4. *See detour map #3 attached.*
- Two southbound lane closures on SR 826/Palmetto Expressway at SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street, 9 p.m. - 5 a.m. Friday, October 4.
- Full closure of southbound entrance ramps from SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to SR 826/Palmetto Expressway, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Friday, October 4. *See detour map #4 attached.*
- Two eastbound and westbound lane closures on SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street at SR 826/Palmetto Expressway, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Friday, October 4.

Nightly Closures:

- Full closure of southbound SR 826/Palmetto Expressway from NW 122 Street/W 68 Street to SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street, 12 a.m. - 6 a.m., Wednesday, October 9 through Saturday, October 12. *See detour map #7 attached.*
- Full closure of southbound SR 826/Palmetto Expressway from SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road, 12 a.m. - 6 a.m., Friday, October 11. *See detour map #9 attached. Will not occur at the same time as full closure above.*
- Full closure of southbound Palmetto express lanes at NW 154 Street, from 8 p.m. Wednesday, October 9 to 5 a.m. Monday, October 14.
- Full closure of southbound SR 93/Interstate 75 (I-75) express lanes at NW 186 Street, including entrance at NW 154 Street, 8 p.m. - 5 a.m. Wednesday, October 9 through Friday, October 11.

- Full closure of southbound SR 93/Interstate 75 (I-75) express lanes at NW 186 Street, including entrance at NW 154 Street, from 8 p.m. Friday, October 11 to 5 a.m. Monday, October 14.
- Full closure of northbound entrance ramp from SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to SR 826/Palmetto Expressway, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Monday, October 7 through Thursday, October 10. See *detour map #2 attached*.
- Two southbound lane closures on SR 826/Palmetto Expressway between SR 93/Interstate 75 (I-75) and SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street, 9 p.m. - 5 a.m. Wednesday, October 9 through Thursday, October 10.
- Two southbound lane closures on SR 826/Palmetto Expressway between SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street and SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road, 6 a.m. - 11 p.m. Saturday, October 12 through Sunday, October 13.
- Full closure of southbound exit ramp from SR 826/Palmetto Expressway to NW 74 Street, 10 p.m.- 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Thursday, October 10. See *detour map #1 attached*.
- Two southbound lane closures on SR 826/Palmetto Expressway just north of SR 934/NW 74 Street, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Thursday, October 10.
- Two southbound lane closures on SR 826/Palmetto Expressway at SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Thursday, October 10.
- Two eastbound and westbound lane closures on SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street at SR 826/Palmetto Expressway, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Thursday, October 10.
- Full closure of southbound Palmetto express lanes at NW 154 Street, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Tuesday, October 8.
- Full closure of southbound SR 93/Interstate 75 (I-75) express lanes at NW 186 Street, including entrance at NW 154 Street, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Tuesday, October 8.
- Full closure of northbound Palmetto express lanes at Flagler Street, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Tuesday, October 8.
- Full closure of southbound exit ramp from SR 826/Palmetto Expressway to SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street, 9 p.m. - 5 a.m., Sunday, October 6 through Thursday, October 10. See *detour map #3 attached*.
- Full closure of southbound entrance ramps from SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to SR 826/Palmetto Expressway, 10 p.m. - 5 a.m. Sunday, October 6 through Saturday, October 12. See *detour map #4 attached*.

- One lane closure and shoulder closures on NW 77 Avenue and W 20 Avenue from SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road to NW 122 Street/W 68 Street, 9 p.m. - 6 a.m., Sunday, October 6 through Thursday, October 10.

Continuous Closures:

- Continuous closure of SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street Texas U-Turn.

Daytime Closures:

- One lane closure on NW 77 Avenue from SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to just north of southbound SR 826/Palmetto Expressway entrance ramp, 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday, October 7 through, Thursday, October 10. (Entrance ramp remains open).
- One lane closure and shoulder closures on W 20 Avenue (west of SR 826/Palmetto Expressway) from just north of SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to W 52 Street, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m., Monday, October 7 through Thursday, October 10.
- One lane closure on W 20 Avenue (frontage road east of the SR 826/Palmetto Expressway) from just north of SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to W 60 Street, 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday, October 7 through Thursday, October 10.
- One lane closure on W 20 Avenue (frontage road east of SR 826/Palmetto Expressway) from just north of SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road to W 41 Street, 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday, October 7 through Thursday, October 10.

**Please note that this schedule may change due to weather or other unexpected conditions.** Drivers should anticipate delays and seek alternate routes if possible.

SR 826/Palmetto Expressway Capacity Improvement Project includes modifying the southbound flyover from westbound SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to southbound SR 826/Palmetto Expressway and widening the SR 826/Palmetto Expressway bridge over SR 932/NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to create an additional general-purpose lane. In addition, the express lane entrance at NW 154 Street/Miami Lakes Drive will be relocated to NW 103 Street/W 49 Street to allow access to the express lanes from NW 154 Street and NW 122 Street/W 68 Street. Construction began in April 2022 and will last about 30 months. This project will cost an estimated \$66 million.

For additional information, please call FDOT's Communication Office at (305) 470-5349 or contact Community Outreach Specialist Maria Camacho at (305) 731-7699 or [Maria.Camacho@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Maria.Camacho@dot.state.fl.us). You can also visit the project website at: [www.826palmetto.com](http://www.826palmetto.com).

For real-time traffic and lane closure information, drivers are encouraged to visit [www.fl511.com](http://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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