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Traffic Advisory: SR 826/Palmetto Express Lane Modifications Continue

Miami, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) modifications of State Road (SR) 826/Palmetto Express continue this weekend with partial lane closures planned. The first phase of the Palmetto Express modifications includes converting one northbound express lane to a non-tolled general use lane, removing the existing express lane entrance north of NW 36 Street, moving the existing express lane entrance north of Okeechobee Road south, and moving the existing express lane exit at NW 154 Street south.

Beginning Friday, August 7, up to three northbound general-purpose and express lanes may be closed at various times to complete work safely.

From 10 p.m. Sunday, August 9 to 5 a.m. Monday morning, the entrance ramp from eastbound NW 36 Street will also be closed. Drivers on NW 36 Street may:

- Turn north on NW 72 Avenue
- Turn west on NW 58 Street
- Take the northbound entrance ramp to SR 826/Palmetto Expressway

Construction is estimated to last three months and includes removing express lane markers and milling, resurfacing and repaving lanes on northbound SR 826.

During construction, tolls in the northbound express lanes will be posted \$0.00. Southbound express lanes and tolling will not be affected. Palmetto Express Phase 2 modifications are currently scheduled to begin in early 2022 and will focus on the southbound lanes of SR 826/Palmetto Expressway.

For more information, please call FDOT's Public Information Office at (305) 470-5349 or Construction Community Outreach Specialist Maria Camacho at (305) 731-7699 or go to the website at palmettoexpresslanes.com or fdotmiamidade.com.

Drivers are encouraged to call 511 before they travel or visit fl511.com for real-time traffic and lane closure information.

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