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SR 913/Rickenbacker Causeway/26 Road Weeknight Lane Closures Begin Monday, August 19

MIAMI, Fla. – Contractors for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will implement nightly lane closures on the westbound State Road (SR) 913/Rickenbacker Causeway Flyover Bridge, SE/SW 26 Road and South Miami Avenue, starting Monday, August 19. These closures will occur on weeknights from 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. and will continue through Monday, August 26.

Travel lanes on SE/SW 26 Road and South Miami Avenue will close, as needed, to safely remove the metal containment platform underneath the bridge. At least one lane will remain open in each direction and all lanes will reopen by 6 a.m.

The ramps to southbound SR 5/US 1 and northbound SR 9A/Interstate 95 (I-95) on the westbound Rickenbacker Causeway Flyover Bridge will close to traffic, as needed, to safely perform roadway coating and striping work. During this closure, all motorists going west on the Rickenbacker Causeway will be detoured via SE/SW 26 Road. The ramps will reopen to traffic by 6 a.m. Eastbound traffic will not be affected and access to SE/SW 26 Road, Brickell Avenue and South Miami Avenue will be maintained.

During the ramp closures, detours will be established as follows:

Motorists going west on the Rickenbacker Causeway who want to go south on SR 5/US 1 will:

- Continue west on Rickenbacker Causeway and merge left at the fork towards Coconut Grove/Brickell Avenue
- Continue driving west and make a left turn on South Miami Avenue
- Make a right turn onto US 1

Motorists going west on the Rickenbacker Causeway who want to go north on SR 9A/I-95 will:

- Continue west on Rickenbacker Causeway and merge left at the fork towards Coconut Grove/Brickell Avenue
- Continue driving west onto SW 26 Road
- Turn right at the bend on SW 26 Road, then continue driving towards SW 25 Road
- Use the entrance ramp onto northbound I-95 from SW 25 Road

A map of the closure and detours can be seen [HERE](#).

Work zones will be clearly marked, and detours will be in place during the closure.

For more information, please contact FDOT's Communications Office at (305) 470-5349 or Construction Community Outreach Specialist Jeff Baquedano at (786) 510-6113 or at Jeff.Baquedano@dot.state.fl.us 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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