



Florida Department of Transportation
DISTRICT SIX CONSTRUCTION
Miami-Dade & Monroe counties



State Road (S.R.) 25/U.S. 27/Okeechobee Road Corridor Wide Construction Update

In observance of Labor Day weekend, no construction work will take place during the holiday weekend. Work will resume on Tuesday, September 7.

Below is a list of upcoming and ongoing construction activities, along with lane closure information for each project segment.

COMING SOON: TRAFFIC SHIFT ALONG NW 79 AVE

Starting **Thursday, September 24, 2026, at 9 p.m.**, travel lanes in both directions on the NW 79 Ave bridge between S.R. 25/U.S. 27/Okeechobee Rd and NW South River Dr will be shifted to the east. This shift will allow crews to continue reconstruction and widening of the bridge.

The right-turn lane from eastbound S.R. 25/U.S. 27/Okeechobee Rd to southbound NW 79 Ave will be removed. Drivers will be detoured to the southbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy on-ramp bridge to access NW 79 Ave.



PROGRESS PHOTOS

FRONTAGE RD AND NW 95 ST





ONGOING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

Segment Three: From east of NW 87 Ave to NW 74 Ave, including Palmetto Expy.

- Performing drainage work along S.R. 25/U.S. 27/Okeechobee Rd, Frontage Rd, NW South River Dr, NW 79 Ave, and W 18 Ave.
- Installing and performing the following:
 - Roadway grading and preparation, median curb, sidewalk, shoulder wall, and Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) along Frontage Rd.
 - Concrete pavement, light pole bases, signalization, Intelligent transportation systems (ITS) along Okeechobee Rd.
 - Curb, sidewalk, light pole bases, and roadway reconstruction along W 18 Ave.
- Bridge construction at:
 - Okeechobee Rd and NW 79 Ave.
 - Northbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy. off-ramp and Okeechobee Road
 - Bridge foundations along NW South River Dr between NW 79 Ave and southbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy. on ramp.
 - Bridge foundations along westbound Okeechobee Road and S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy. ramps.
 - NW South River Dr and northbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy off ramp.
 - MSE wall for southbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy. on ramp.
 - Bridge foundations along eastbound Okeechobee Rd along the canal between NW 95 St and S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy.

During this time, single lane closures may take place along Frontage Rd and Okeechobee Rd in both directions.

Please note, utility companies are also performing relocations efforts along:

- NW South River Dr.

General Lane Closures

Closures may take place during the following hours:

- 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays and weekends.
- 9 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. on weekdays.
- 11 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. on weekends.

Continuous Lane Closures/Traffic Shifts

- Lane closure along southbound NW South River Dr between NW 91 Terr and NW 79 Ave.
- Southbound travel lanes along the NW 79 Ave bridge are reduced to two lanes.
- One northbound thru lane and one right-turn lane along NW South River Dr at the northbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy off-ramp are removed.
- Right turn lane from northbound NW 79 Ave to eastbound Okeechobee Rd has been temporarily removed.
- Travel lanes along W 18 Ave between Okeechobee Rd and W 35 St have shifted to the east, and lanes have been reduced from two to one lane in each direction.
- Exit lanes along the northbound S.R. 826/Palmetto Expy off-ramp have been reduced from two to one lane. Lanes along NW South River Dr will remain the same.

***PLEASE NOTE THAT SCHEDULES MAY CHANGE DUE TO
WEATHER OR UNEXPECTED CONDITIONS.***

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View the corridor wide traffic patterns and lane closures by clicking below:

[Online Map](#)

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Drivers are encouraged to log onto www.fl511.com to get real-time traffic and lane closure information.

[Corridor Wide Website](#)

