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FDOT Announces Completion of SR 817/NW 27 Avenue Roadway Project

From SR 916/NW 135 Street to NW 187 Street

MIAMI, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation has completed a \$9.8 million roadway improvement project along SR 817/NW 27 Avenue from SR 916/NW 135 Street to NW 187 Street, in Miami-Dade County.

Completed in a year, the roadway improvement project introduced safety enhancements to the City of Opa-locka and Miami Gardens by constructing new crosswalks at the intersections of Superior Street, Burlington Street, Ali Baba Avenue, and NW 180 Terrace; installing handrails along the bridge over the Biscayne Canal; modifying the traffic median to allow U-turns at NW 169 Terrace; modifying traffic medians to restrict left turns at the following side streets: NW 169 Terrace, NW 179 Street, and NW 186 Street; upgrading pedestrian and vehicular signals and signage; upgrading concrete sidewalks, curb ramps, and curb and gutters; upgrading light poles with new Light-Emitting Diodes (LED's), and repaving and restriping the roadway.

For more information, please contact FDOT's Communication Office at (305) 470-5349, 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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