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Full Closure of Southbound SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road between NW 107 Avenue and NW 116 Way/Hialeah Gardens Blvd

September 5 – 7, 2024

MIAMI, Fla. – All lanes along southbound State Road (SR) 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road will be closed nightly starting at 9 p.m. on Thursday, September 5 until Saturday, September 7. Travel lanes will reopen to traffic daily by 5:30 a.m. This closure will allow the contractor to install drainage structures in the area. Please note, this is a nighttime operation and construction noise is expected. The following detour will be implemented:

 Motorists traveling along southbound SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road will be detoured to make a right on NW 107 Avenue, a left on NW 127 Street, a right on NW South River Drive, a left on NW 116 Way and a right to continue southbound on SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road.

Detours will be clearly marked and access to businesses and neighborhoods will be maintained at all times. Please follow all posted signage and note that this schedule may change due to weather or other unexpected conditions.

This project is part of the corridor wide reconstruction of the SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road from the Broward County Line to SR 826/Palmetto Expressway. This work will improve safety, enhance mobility along this Strategic Intermodal Systems (SIS) corridor, and inspire innovative transportation solutions, connecting commuters throughout Miami-Dade County.

For more information, please contact FDOT's Communications Office at (305) 470-5349 or Senior Community Outreach Specialist Maria Alzate at (305) 560-8218 or by email at Maria.Alzate@dot.state.fl.us. You can also visit, www.southflroads.com/okeechobee.

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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