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SR 9A/I-95 Exit Ramp to SW 25 Road (Exit 1A) Weeknight Lane Closures Begin Tuesday, May 28

MIAMI, Fla. – As part of necessary ongoing rehabilitation work, contractors for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will close at least one lane on the ramp from Southbound Interstate 95 (I-95) to SW 25 Road (Exit 1A) weeknights between the hours of 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. to install foundations for new traffic signals at the intersection with SW 25 Road. At least one lane on the ramp will remain open at all times and all lanes will reopen between 6 a.m. and 9 p.m.

This work is part of the ongoing rehabilitation project along I-95 ramps in various locations. The Department will need extended detours on the Rickenbacker Causeway westbound flyover bridges to northbound I-95 and southbound State Road (SR) 5/US 1 later this summer to complete permanent bridge deck repairs.

This work will take about six nights to complete, and lane closures will occur as follows:

Tuesday, May 28 through Thursday, May 30

One outside lane on the exit ramp from southbound I-95 will be closed between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. Two lanes will remain open, and all lanes will be open by 6 a.m.

Monday, June 3 through Thursday, June 6

Two outside lanes on the exit ramp from southbound I-95 will be closed between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. The inside lane will remain open, but drivers who want to go west on SW 25 Road will be detoured as follows:

- Continue south to SW 26 Road
- Turn right on SW 26 Road
- Turn right on SW 1 Avenue to reach SW 25 Road

During this closure, travel lanes on westbound SW 25 Road will be shifted away from the work zone but will remain open and all travel lanes will reopen at 6 a.m.

Law enforcement officers will direct drivers through the work zone during these nighttime operations and detours will be clearly marked.

Please note this schedule may change due to weather or other unexpected conditions.

During these lane closures, work zones will be clearly marked and access to and from adjacent homes and businesses will be maintained.

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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