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FDOT Palm Beach County Traffic Report

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Palm Beach County, Fla. – Palm Beach County traffic will be affected this week by ongoing construction projects and maintenance work, Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) officials report. Weather permitting; closures will be in effect on I-95 and in other areas throughout Palm Beach County for construction activities.

For around-the-clock, real-time, I-95 traffic information, call 511. To view real-time video of I-95 in Palm Beach County, visit the Florida Department of Transportation's Palm Beach SMART SunGuide Transportation Management Center (TMC) website at www.smartsunguide.com. FDOT and the SunGuide™ Partners provide these free services. For updated lane closure information, please refer to www.d4fdot.com. Follow us on Twitter @MyFDOT_SEFL, Facebook @MyFDOTSEFL, and Instagram @myfdot_sefl.

CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

INTERSTATE 95

1. I-95 from south of SW 10th Street in the City of Deerfield Beach to south of Glades Road in the City of Boca Raton (95 Express Phase 3B-1)

Description: Work on this 4.8-mile 95 Express project includes widening and converting the existing I-95 HOV Lanes to Managed Lanes which will result in two tolled Express Lanes in each direction; the number of General Use lanes will remain the same. Other project improvements include bridge widenings at Palmetto Park Road and Camino Real, complete bridge replacement at the Hillsboro Canal, noise wall construction, portable traffic monitoring sites, toll gantry installation, Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) installation, ramp signaling at the I-95 entrance ramps from Palmetto Park Road, Express Lane markers and landscape relocation. For more information, please contact I-95 Community Outreach Specialist Andrea Pacini at (561) 214-3358 or apacini@corradino.com.

Cost/Completion: \$102 million / Completion is anticipated in spring 2022.

Traffic Impact:

- I-95 will have three lanes closed in each direction nightly as needed, Sunday through Thursday nights, with the first lane closing at 9:30 p.m., the second lane closing at 10:30 p.m., and the third lane closing at 11:30 p.m. until 5:30 a.m.
- I-95 northbound from SW 18th Street to south of Glades Road has a new traffic pattern which is anticipated to be in place until Spring 2021.
- **I-95 Southbound Full Closure Notice:** I-95 southbound lanes at Palmetto Park Road will be closed to traffic overnight, Sunday night, Oct. 11 and Monday night, Oct. 12 for asphalt overbuild placement operations. The first lane will close at 9:30 p.m., the second lane will close at 10:30 p.m., and all lanes will be closed by 11:30 p.m., reopening by 5:30 a.m. Traffic will be detoured via the I-95 southbound exit ramp to Palmetto Park Road, Military Trail and Hillsboro Boulevard. FHP will be on site to assist motorists. Please see detour flyer attached.
- **I-95 Southbound Full Closure Notice:** I-95 southbound lanes at Glades Road will be closed to traffic overnight, Thursday night, Oct. 15 for overhead sign structure installation. The first lane will close at 9:30 p.m., the second lane will close at 10:30 p.m., and all lanes will be closed by 11:30 p.m., reopening by 5:30 a.m. each morning. Traffic will be detoured via the southbound exit ramp to Glades Road, St. Andrew's Boulevard and Palmetto Park Road. FHP will be on site to assist motorists. Please see detour flyer attached.
- **I-95 Southbound Full Closure Advanced Notice:** I-95 southbound lanes at Palmetto Park Road will be closed to traffic overnight, Sunday night, Oct. 18 for a traffic shift to the outside to allow for final median construction. The first lane will close at 9:30 p.m., the second lane will close at 10:30 p.m., and all lanes will be closed by 11:30 p.m., reopening by 5:30 a.m. Traffic will be detoured via the I-95 southbound exit ramp to Palmetto Park Road, Military Trail and Hillsboro Boulevard. FHP will be on site to assist motorists. Monday night, Oct. 19 and Tuesday night, Oct. 20 will be used as contingency nights if needed. Please see detour flyer attached.
- **I-95 Southbound Full Closure Advanced Notice:** I-95 southbound lanes at Glades Road will be closed to traffic overnight, Tuesday night, Oct. 20 and Wednesday night, Oct. 21 for overhead sign structure installation. The first lane will close at 9:30 p.m., the second lane will close at 10:30 p.m., and all lanes will be closed by 11:30 p.m., reopening by 5:30 a.m. each morning. Traffic will be detoured via the southbound exit ramp to Glades Road, St. Andrew's Boulevard and Palmetto Park Road. FHP will be on site to assist motorists. Thursday night, Oct. 22 will be used a contingency night if needed. Please see detour flyer attached.

Arterial Road Traffic Impact:

- Palmetto Park Road at I-95 will have two lanes closed in each direction nightly, as needed, Sunday through Thursday. The first lane will close at 9 p.m., and the second lane will close at 10:30 p.m. All lanes will be opened by 5:30 a.m.
- Palmetto Park Road at I-95 will have one lane closed in each direction daily, as needed, 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.
- Camino Real at I-95 will have one lane closed in each direction daily, as needed, 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Ramp Impact:

- The I-95 southbound exit ramp to Palmetto Park Road will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via I-95 southbound, Hillsboro Boulevard, Military Trail and Palmetto Park Road. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.

- The I-95 southbound entrance ramp from westbound Palmetto Park Road will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via Military Trail and Hillsboro Boulevard. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The I-95 southbound entrance ramp from eastbound Palmetto Park Road will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via Military Trail and Hillsboro Boulevard. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The northbound entrance ramp from eastbound and westbound Palmetto Park Road will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Traffic will be detoured via I-95 southbound to Hillsboro Boulevard to I-95 northbound.
- The I-95 northbound exit ramp to westbound Hillsboro Boulevard will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via I-95, Palmetto Park Road and Military Trail. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The I-95 northbound entrance ramp from eastbound Hillsboro Boulevard will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via Military Trail and Palmetto Park Road. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The I-95 northbound exit ramp to eastbound Hillsboro Boulevard will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via Palmetto Park Road and South Dixie Highway. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The I-95 northbound exit ramp to SW 10th Street will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via I-95, Hillsboro Boulevard and South Dixie Highway. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The I-95 northbound entrance ramp from eastbound and westbound SW 10th Street will be closed nightly, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Motorists will be detoured via Military Trail, Hillsboro Boulevard and I-95. FHP will be on site to assist motorists. Please note that ramp closures will be performed as needed per nighttime construction operations; consecutive ramps will not be closed at the same time.

2. I-95 from south of Glades Road to south of Linton Boulevard and SR 808/Glades Road from NW 22nd Way to West University Drive in the Cities of Boca Raton and Delray Beach (95 Express Phase 3B-2)

Description: 95 Express Lanes Phase 3B-2 will extend the existing Express Lanes north from just south of Glades Road to just south of Linton Boulevard in Palm Beach County. One lane will be added and the High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lane will be converted to create two Express Lanes in each direction. The number of General Use lanes will remain the same. Access to the Express Lanes will be provided via two designated ingress and egress locations—between Glades Road and Spanish River Boulevard and between Yamato Road and Linton Boulevard. The scope of work includes reconfiguration of the SR 808/Glades Road Interchange to a Diverging Diamond Interchange (DDI). Additional project improvements include overhead sign structure installation, Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) and Express Lane markers, new signalization, lighting, signing and pavement markings and ramp signalization at five interchanges from Glades Road to Linton Boulevard. Shoulder-mounted sound barrier walls will be constructed along I-95 northbound between Clint Moore Road and Linton Boulevard, ground-mounted sound walls will be installed on the south side of Yamato Road east of I-95 adjacent to the University Heights Community and along I-95 northbound south of Linton Boulevard adjacent to the Tierra Verde Community. The Clint Moore Road Bridge over I-95 will be fully reconstructed and the Glades Road bridge over the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority (SFRTA) railroad tracks and Military Trail and the I-95 bridge over the C-15 Canal (between Peninsula Drive and Linton Boulevard) will be widened. For more information, please contact I-95 Community Outreach Specialist Andrea Pacini at (561) 214-3358 or apacini@corrado.com.

Cost/Completion: \$148 million. Completion is expected in late 2023.

Traffic Impact:

- I-95 will have up to four lanes closed in each direction nightly as needed for paving, 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. Sunday through Thursday. The first lane will close at 9 p.m., the second lane will close at 9:30 p.m., and the third and fourth lane will close at 10 p.m.
- I-95 northbound from Yamato Road to Linton Boulevard is in a new traffic pattern with traffic shifted to the outside to allow for median construction. This configuration is anticipated to be in place through summer 2021.

Arterial Road Impact:

- Glades Road from NW 22nd Way to W. University Drive will have one lane closed in each direction daily, 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.
- Glades Road from NW 22nd Way to W. University Drive will have one lane closed in each direction nightly, with the first lane closed 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. and two lanes closed 10:30 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday nights.

Ramp Impact:

- The I-95 northbound entrance ramp from westbound Glades Road will be closed nightly as needed for paving, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Traffic will be detoured via Powerline Road and Jog Road. FHP will be on site to assist motorists.
- The I-95 northbound exit ramp to Spanish River Boulevard will be closed nightly as needed for paving, 11 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. Traffic will be detoured via I-95 north, Yamato Road east, US-1 and Spanish River Boulevard. FHP will be onsite to assist motorists.

3. I-95 Interchange Improvements at Atlantic Avenue in the City of Delray Beach

Description: Work includes widening the I-95 northbound entrance ramp from Atlantic Avenue, creating a dedicated lane for I-95 northbound and southbound access from westbound Atlantic Avenue, construction of two turn lanes from westbound Atlantic Avenue; one to northbound Congress Avenue and one to southbound Congress Avenue, milling, resurfacing, pavement markings for improved safety and visibility, realigned crosswalks for improved pedestrian safety, internally illuminated and electronic display signs, signalization, pedestrian detectors, and traffic monitoring sites. Pavement markings for bike lanes will be included throughout the project. For more information, please contact I-95 Community Outreach Specialist Andrea Pacini at (561) 214-3358 or apacini@corrado.com.

Cost/Completion: \$5.2 million. Completion is expected in fall 2020.

Traffic Impact:

- Atlantic Avenue from 13th Avenue to NW 23rd Avenue will have two through lanes closed daily, as needed, 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. and nightly, as needed, 9 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Saturday.
- Westbound Atlantic Avenue approaching I-95 has a new permanent configuration. The northernmost, or far right lane, of westbound Atlantic Avenue which begins just west of NW 12th Avenue is now designated as I-95 entrance ramp ingress only. Vehicles traveling in this lane will not be able to perform a through movement to continue west on Atlantic Avenue due to the installation of a concrete traffic separator; this lane is exclusively designated for vehicles wishing to access I-95 northbound or southbound. Please note that motorists must decide on their selected movement before they reach NW 12th Avenue.
- The Atlantic Avenue north sidewalk from 12th Avenue to NW 23 Avenue is closed completely for roadway reconstruction. Pedestrians will be detoured to the south sidewalk via existing crosswalks.

- Congress Avenue from NW 1st Street to Lawson Boulevard may have one lane closed daily in each direction, as needed, daily, 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. and nightly, 9 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Saturday.
- NW 12th Avenue will have the westbound turn lane closed, nightly as needed, 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday night.
- The I-95 northbound entrance ramp from Atlantic Avenue will have one lane closed nightly, as needed, 9 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday.

4. I-95 Northbound Sound Wall Extension at Diane Drive in the City of Boynton Beach

Description: This 0.59-mile project includes extending the existing ground mounted sound wall along I-95 northbound at Diane Drive approximately 500 feet to the north and south, placing sod along the new sound wall, performing utility adjustments and removing the existing fence behind the new sound wall. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Daniela Silva at (786) 441-3088 or msilva@corradino.com.

Cost/ Completion: \$1.5 million. Completion is expected in Spring 2021.

Traffic Impact: I-95 northbound will have the outside right lane closed nightly, as needed, 9 p.m. until 5 a.m., Sunday through Thursday, through Spring 2021.

5. Improvements of Gateway Boulevard at SR-9/I-95 From east of High Ridge Road to east of I-95 in the City of Boynton Beach

Description: This 0.1659-mile improvement project includes conversion of the eastbound outside through lane to a dual through and right-turn lane for the I-95 southbound entrance ramp, new signalization and signage, median modifications and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) upgrades. For more information, please contact I-95 Community Outreach Specialist Andrea Pacini at (561) 214-3358 or apacini@corradino.com.

Cost/Completion: \$552,417.92. Completion is expected in late 2020.

Traffic Impact: Gateway Boulevard, from east of High Ridge Road to east of I-95 may have one lane closed, daily, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Gateway Boulevard, from east of High Ridge Road to east of I-95 may have two lanes closed in each direction nightly, 7 p.m. until 5:30 a.m., Sunday through Thursday nights.

6. Westbound SR 704/Okeechobee Boulevard to Southbound SR 9/I-95 Bridge Rehabilitation and Painting Project

Description: This 0.17-mile project in West Palm Beach began July 2, 2020. Improvements consist of cleaning and painting the steel and concrete portions of the ramp connecting westbound Okeechobee Boulevard to southbound I-95 as well as conducting minor repairs on the bridge drainage system.

Cost/Completion: \$1.2 million / Spring 2021

Traffic Impact:

- Two I-95 northbound outside lanes and the outside shoulder at Okeechobee Boulevard will be closed 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday for painting operations.
- The northbound I-95 entrance ramp from eastbound Okeechobee Boulevard will be closed 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday. Traffic will be detoured to the northbound I-95 entrance ramp from westbound Okeechobee Boulevard via a U-Turn at Tamarind Avenue/Parker Avenue. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Angel Streeter Gardner at (561) 886-8773 or angel@valerin-group.com.

7. SR 9/I-95 over Donald Ross Road Bridge Painting Project

Description: This project in Palm Beach Gardens and Jupiter began Sept. 9, 2020. Improvements consist of cleaning and painting the steel and concrete portions of the northbound and southbound I-95 bridges over Donald Ross Road.

Cost/Completion: \$613,162 / Spring 2021

Traffic Impact:

- All lanes are open. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Angel Streeter Gardner at (561) 886-8773 or angel@valerin-group.com.

8. I-95 Lighting and Roadway Improvements Project from south of State Road 706/Indiantown Road to County Road 708/SE Bridge Road

Description: This 11.59-mile I-95 improvements project began September 9, 2020 in Jupiter and Hobe Sound. Work includes installing new roadway lighting with LED luminaires, replacing the high mast lighting system with a conventional LED roadway lighting system, extending the northbound I-95 merge lane just north of Indiantown Road, extending the deceleration distances for the I-95 northbound to westbound Indiantown Road exit ramp and the I-95 southbound to eastbound Indiantown Road exit ramp, and installing wrong way vehicle detection systems at the Indiantown Road and SE Bridge Road I-95 interchanges and new advanced warning signage.

Cost/Completion: \$12.3 million. Completion is expected in spring 2022.

Traffic Impact:

- The shoulder in both directions of I-95 will be intermittently closed Monday through Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. through May 2021 for temporary asphalt placement, landscaping relocation efforts, and conduit and light pole foundation installations.
- Two lanes in each direction of I-95 at the Indiantown Road interchange will be closed Sunday through Thursday night from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. to facilitate the construction of a minor traffic diversion. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Kathleen Dempsey at 772-359-5118 or kdempsey@corradino.com.

SOUTHERN PALM BEACH COUNTY PROJECTS

9. SR A1A/Haven Ashe Bridge Maintenance Project over the Boca Raton Inlet

Description: This 0.10-mile project in Boca Raton began Aug. 8, 2020. Improvements consist of cleaning and painting the steel and concrete portions of the State Road A1A bascule bridge over the Boca Raton Inlet.

Cost/Completion: \$802,818 / Late Fall 2020

Traffic Impact:

- All lanes are open.
- Periodic sidewalk closures may occur on the SR A1A/Haven Ashe Bridge over the Boca Raton Inlet. Northbound and southbound sidewalks will not be closed simultaneously. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Angel Streeter Gardner at (561) 886-8773 or angel@valerin-group.com.

10. **US 1 Resurfacing Project from south of Eve Street to south of Harbourside Drive**

Description: This 0.5-mile roadway improvements project began Monday, June 29, 2020, in the City of Delray Beach. Work includes roadway resurfacing, drainage, signalization and signage improvements, pavement marking upgrades including roadway striping for bike lanes, and sidewalk removal and replacement.

Cost/Completion: \$1.2 million. Completion is expected in spring 2021.

Traffic Impact:

- One lane may be closed in each direction, intermittently, 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., Monday through Friday. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Meredith Cruz at 561-641-6440 or mcruz@corradino.com.

11. **Swinton Avenue Resurfacing Project**

Description: This 1.5-mile roadway improvements project began Tuesday, Apr. 14, 2020, from S 10th Street to 4th Street/Lake Ida Road in the City of Delray Beach. Work includes milling and resurfacing, adding 5-foot wide sidewalk on the west side of the roadway from S 10th Street to S 3rd Street, drainage, signage and pavement marking upgrades including roadway striping for shared use travel lanes, and minor signalization improvements to existing equipment.

Cost/Completion: \$1.4 million. Completion is expected in early 2021.

Traffic Impact:

- One lane may be closed in each direction, intermittently, from S 10th Street to 4th Street/Lake Ida Road, 7 a.m. until 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. Flaggers will be on-site to direct traffic as needed. For more information, please contact Community Outreach Specialist Meredith Cruz at 561-641-6440 or mcruz@corradino.com.

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