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State Road (SR) 5/US 1/South Dixie Highway Roadway Project Begins December 5

From SW 80 Street to Riviera Drive

MIAMI, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin a roadway project the week of December 5, 2022, along SR 5/US 1/South Dixie Highway from SW 80 Street to Riviera Drive in the Cities of Coral Gables and South Miami. The work will last roughly one year and will cost an estimated \$6 million.

The scope of work includes: replacing traffic signal mast arms at the intersections of Sunset Drive, SW 70 Street, Alhambra Circle, and Stanford Drive; constructing traffic islands at the intersections of SW 62 Avenue, SW 71 Street, and Santana Street; extending the left turn from northbound SR 5/US 1 to westbound Sunset Drive; upgrading vehicular and pedestrian signals, signage and pavement markings; reconstructing pedestrian sidewalks, curb ramps, and curb and gutters; replacing existing guardrail; and rehabilitating the bridge over the Coral Gables Waterway (Bridge #870019).

To build this project safely, it will be necessary to close travel lanes and sidewalks, and to establish detours at times. Work will be done in stages to minimize construction related impacts. Drivers might experience delays traveling through the area and should seek alternate routes if possible. Please use caution when traveling through construction zones.

Please follow all posted signage and note that this schedule may change due to bad weather or other unexpected conditions.

For more information, please contact FDOT's Public Information Office at (305) 470-5349, or Construction Community Outreach Specialist Christian Gonzalez at (786) 837-4884 or csgonzalez@corradino.com. For additional information about this or other FDOT projects, please visit www.fdotmiamidade.com.

Drivers are encouraged to log on to www.fl511.com before they travel to get real-time traffic and lane closure information. The Florida Department of Transportation reminds motorists to always drive safely and avoid distractions while driving. Remember to put down cell phones. Florida law restricts motorists from using a wireless device in a school zone or an active construction zone.

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