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Project news: Northbound I-275 Connector to CR 296 / SR 686

Night lane closures on I-275 north and south of Roosevelt Boulevard

ST. PETERSBURG -- One lane will be closed on northbound and/or southbound I-275 between Gandy Boulevard (Exit 28) and Ulmerton Road (Exit 31) from 8 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 16 - 20) nights. Closures on northbound I-275 will not begin until two hours after the Tampa Bay Rays' baseball game on Monday, May 17.

CR 296 entrance ramp to I-275 to be closed at night

ST. PETERSBURG -- The County Road 296 (118th Avenue) ramp onto I-275 will be closed from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday through Thursday (May 17 - 20) nights. DETOUR: Take 118th Avenue east to 28th Street North, go north on 28th Street, then turn right on Roosevelt Boulevard (State Road 686) and go east to the I-275 entrance ramps.

Eastbound 118th Avenue to be closed several nights

PINELLAS PARK -- Eastbound 118th Avenue (County Road 296) will be closed from 34th Street to 31st Court from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Tuesday through Thursday (May 18 - 20) nights. Traffic will be detoured north on 40th and 49th streets to Ulmerton Road (SR 688), east to eastbound Roosevelt Boulevard (SR 686), then south on 28th Street North back to 118th Avenue.

Project news: I-4 /Selmon Expressway Connector

Night lane closures on westbound I-4

TAMPA -- The right lane or left lane will be closed for survey work at various locations on westbound I-4 between 50th Street (Exit 3) and 22nd Street (Exit 1) from 8 p.m. to 4 a.m. Sunday through Friday (May 16 - 21) nights.

Night lane closures on Selmon Expressway

TAMPA -- One lane may be closed for shoulder work in either direction of the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 22nd Street (Exit 9) and 50th Street (Exit 11) between 7 p.m. and 4 a.m. Sunday through Friday (May 16 - 21) nights.

Day lane closures on Durham Street

TAMPA -- One lane will be closed for one block at a time on Durham Street between 26th Street and 30th Street between 7 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday (May 17 - 22) for water line work. Residential traffic will be maintained by flaggers and access will be maintained to driveways. These closures are expected Mondays through Saturdays throughout the months of May and June.

Night lane closures on Adamo Drive

TAMPA -- One lane may be closed in each direction of State Road 60 (Adamo Drive) between the CSX railroad tracks (west of 34th Street) and 50th Street from 7 p.m. to 4 a.m. Sunday through Friday (May 16 - 21) nights.

Project news: I-75 Deck Repairs over Broadway and CSX Tracks

Lanes closed at night on southbound I-75 at MLK

BRANDON -- One to two lanes will be closed on southbound I-75 from south of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. (State Road 574, Exit 260) for about one mile from 7:30 p.m. to 6 a.m. Friday through Sunday (May 14 - 16) and Tuesday through Sunday (May 18 - 23) nights. Friday night closures will not begin until 9 p.m.

Project news: I-75/I-275 Exit Ramps to State Road 56

Night lane closures and traffic shifts on I-75 at I-275

NEW TAMPA -- Traffic will be reduced to a single lane and routed to a different alignment onto temporary pavement on *northbound* I-75 from south of I-275 to State Road 56 (Exit 275) from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Friday (May 16 -21) nights. Lane reductions and traffic shifts will happen in the same area on *southbound* I-75 Wednesday through Friday (May 19 - 21) nights. The speed limit will also be reduced to 50 MPH during these lane closures. *Motorists can expect delays in both directions of I-75 these nights.*

Night lane closures on I-275 approaching I-75

NEW TAMPA -- The right lane will be closed on northbound I-275 from just south of I-75 to the interchange at I-75 from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday through Friday (May 17 - 21) nights.

Project news: Interstate 75 Interchange at County Road 54

CR 54 to be closed under I-75 at night

WESLEY CHAPEL -- County Road 54 will be closed under I-75 between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Friday through Friday (May 14 - 21) nights. All ramps will be open, but no traffic will be able to cross under I-75. DETOUR: Local traffic will be detoured using State Road 54, County Road 54, Bruce B. Downs Boulevard, and the I-75 interchange at State Road 56.

Night lane closures on I-75 ramps at CR 54

WESLEY CHAPEL -- There will be intermittent lane closures and traffic shifts on the interchanges ramps at I-75 and County Road 54 (Exit 279) between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m. Tuesday through Friday (May 18 - 21) nights.

Project news: Interstate 75 from County Road 54 to Hernando County line

Night lane closures on I-75 in northern Pasco County

PASCO COUNTY -- One lane will be closed for paving in either direction of I-75 in various places between County Road 54 (Exit 279) and the Pasco/Hernando counties line between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 16 - 20) nights.

Project news: Interstate 75 from Pasco / Hernando County line to Lockhart Road

Night lane closures on I-75 in southern Hernando County

HERNANDO COUNTY -- One lane will be closed on northbound and/or southbound I-75 in various locations between the Pasco/Hernando counties line and Lockhart Road between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 16 - 20) nights.