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Project news: I-275 Widening from U.S. 41 to I-75

Night lane closures on north section of southbound I-275

TAMPA -- One lane will be closed on southbound I-275 between I-75 and U.S. 41 (north of Bearss Avenue, Exit 53) from 9:30 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. Friday night, May 20 and Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights. Drivers should also be aware of traffic shifts to the right.

Project news: I-4 /Selmon Expressway Connector

Night lane closures on I-4 between Exits 1 and 3

TAMPA -- One lane will be closed on eastbound and westbound I-4 between 22nd Street (Exit 1) and 50th Street (Exit 3) from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights.

Night and day lane closures on eastbound Selmon Expressway

TAMPA -- One lane may be closed on the eastbound Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 22nd Street (Exit 9) and 50th Street (Exit 11) from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights, and from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (May 23 - 27).

Traffic to be detoured off westbound Selmon Monday and Thursday nights

TAMPA -- Westbound traffic will be detoured off the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 50th Street and 22nd Street from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday (May 23) and Thursday (May 26) nights.

DETOUR: All westbound traffic will be directed off the Selmon Expressway at 50th Street (Exit 11), detoured west on State Road 60 (Adamo Drive), then back onto the Expressway using the 22nd Street entrance ramp. *Tolls will be suspended for entering the westbound Selmon Expressway at 22nd Street during the detour hours only.*

Day and night lane closures on Adamo Drive

TAMPA -- One lane may be closed in each direction of State Road 60 (Adamo Drive) between 26th and 34th streets from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 21 and Monday through Friday (May 23 - 27). Also, expect closures in the same area from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights.

Day and night lane closures on 20th, 21st & 22nd streets near Selmon Expressway/SR 60 TAMPA (YBOR CITY) -- One lane may be closed each way on State Road 45 (20th, 21st and 22nd streets) from State Road 60 to Durham Street from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 21 and Monday through Friday (May 23 - 27), and from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights.

Day and night lane closures on 34th Street near SR 60

TAMPA -- One lane will be closed in both directions of 34th Street from State Road 60 (Adamo Drive) to Grace Street from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 21 and Monday through Friday (May 23 - 27). Single-lane closures will also occur from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights; southbound traffic may also be put into the northbound turn lane at times.

Project news: I-4 Resurfacing from Branch Forbes Road to Memorial Boulevard

Night ramp closures at I-4 interchanges in Plant City area

PLANT CITY/LAKELAND -- I-4 interchange ramps may be closed for paving between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. Friday night, May 20 and Sunday through Thursday (May 22 - 26) nights. Affected interchanges may include Branch Forbes Road (Exit 17), Thonotosassa Road/SR 566 (Exit 19), Alexander Street/State Road 39 (Exit 21), Park Road (Exit 22) and County Line Road (Exit 25).

Project news: I-75 Slab Repairs from Progress Boulevard to State Road 60

Eastbound Selmon ramp to northbound I-75 to be closed Friday and Sunday nights BRANDON -- The eastbound SR 618 (Selmon Expressway) ramp onto northbound I-75 will be closed from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Friday and Sunday (May 20 and 22) nights. DETOUR: Traffic will be directed to exit at Falkenburg Road and go north on Falkenburg, then east on State Road 60 to the entrance ramp to northbound I-75.

However, weather or other reasons could change the schedule; updates and detour routes will be posted on the myTBI.com web site.

Lane to be closed Monday night on eastbound Selmon ramp to southbound I-75 BRANDON -- One lane will be closed on the eastbound Selmon Expressway (SR 618) ramp onto southbound I-75 from 9 p.m. Monday (May 23) to 6 a.m. Tuesday (May 24).