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### Access to Lake Galilee Drive at State Road 20 to Close Temporarily for Reconstruction Work

**Hawthorne, Fla.** – As part of the widening improvements on State Road 20 from the Putnam County line to SW 56th Avenue, Lake Galilee Drive will be temporarily closed to traffic Monday, October 12 through Saturday, October 17 to complete roadway reconstruction work, weather and schedule permitting.

Drivers will detour to Royal Way and travel west on Flower Drive/Flower Court to return to Lake Galilee Drive (map below).

This improvement project includes widening State Road 20 from a 2-lane roadway to a 4-lane urban roadway with curbs, gutters, grassed medians, bicycle lanes, 5-foot sidewalk on the north side, a 10-foot multi-use path on the south side of the roadway and 5-span bridge at Fowlers Prairie.

This segment will complete a 12-mile span of improvements on State Road 20 from Alachua County to Putnam County.

Lane closures are allowed Monday through Friday after 8:30 a.m. Intermittent detours and periodic traffic shifts will be necessary to complete reconstruction work at access points to State Road 20.

Anderson Columbia Co. Inc. is estimated to complete the \$49 million widening improvements by late 2022. Construction completion estimates are fluid and subject to change, weather and schedule permitting.



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