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### **Equipment to be staged below Bridge of Lions for work**

**St. Augustine**– As part of the Bridge of Lions rehabilitation project on State Road A1A, equipment needed to complete work is expected to be on-site September 14, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.

A temporary platform and barge will be below the bridge to safely store equipment and complete work underneath the Bridge of Lions. This will not affect marine or vehicular traffic.

Lane closures are allowed from 9 p.m. to 7 a.m. to complete cleaning, painting and electrical work.

Astron General Contracting Co. Inc, began the \$1.4 million cleaning and painting rehabilitation project this May and is estimated to complete the work by early 2019, weather and schedule permitting.

The Bridge of Lions replacement project was completed in 2011. This project is necessary to promote the health of the structure. FDOT remains committed to being good stewards of taxpayer dollars and ensuring investments in infrastructure maximize the lifespan of existing structures.

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