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Nightly Closures Planned Next Week on Blanding Boulevard Near First Coast Expressway Interchange

CLAY COUNTY, Fla. – Overnight closures of Blanding Boulevard (State Road 21) from Gregory B. Clary Way to Baxley Road are planned Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting. The closures are necessary for beam placement at the future First Coast Expressway/Blanding Boulevard interchange.

The northbound lanes of Blanding Boulevard from Gregory B. Clary Way to Baxley Road will close at 9:30 p.m. Monday, April 15 and reopen by 5 a.m. Tuesday, April 16.

The southbound lanes of Blanding Boulevard from Gregory B. Clary Way to Baxley Road will close nightly at 9:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 16 through Thursday, April 18, reopening by 5 a.m. the following morning.

During these closures, traffic will detour via Baxley Road and County Road 220. Drivers should follow detour signs and use additional caution in the area.

Stay informed about lane closures and roadwork in your area by following FDOT District 2 at <u>MyFDOT_NEFL</u> on X (formerly Twitter), at <u>MyFDOTNEFL</u> on Facebook or by visiting nflroads.com. Drivers seeking real-time traffic alerts may visit <u>www.FL511.com</u> or download the FL511 app.

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