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Nighttime Detours Planned Next Week at Southside Boulevard and U.S. 1

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – As part of resurfacing improvements on Southside Boulevard (State Road 115) from Butler Boulevard (State Road 202) to U.S. 1 (Philips Highway), a detour at the intersection of Southside Boulevard and U.S. 1 is necessary for milling and paving work to be completed safely. A section of the intersection and the outside lane of U.S. 1 north will close nightly at 9 p.m. and reopen by 6 a.m. the following morning starting Sunday, Jan. 14 through Friday, Jan. 19.

During the detour, drivers on southbound Southside Boulevard seeking to access U.S. 1 will detour north on Philips Highway and make a U-Turn. Drivers on southbound U.S. 1 will continue past Southside Boulevard and make a U-Turn to access northbound Southside Boulevard. Drivers on Avenues Walk Boulevard seeking to access Southside Boulevard will detour south on Philips Highway and make a U-Turn. Motorists are encouraged to use caution in the area and follow posted detour signs.

Preferred Materials, Inc. is estimated to complete the \$29 million resurfacing and intersection improvements by summer 2025, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.

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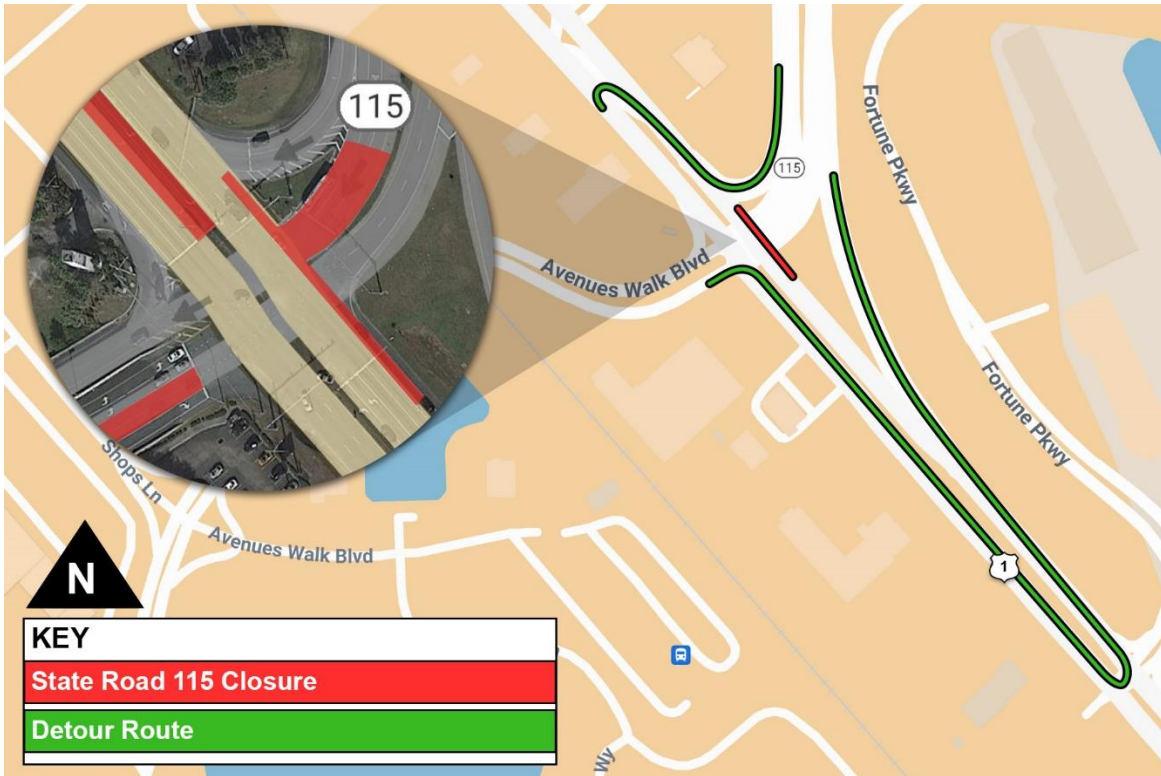


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