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Traffic Advisory: Lane Closures Planned January 18-22 for Railroad Crossing Improvements

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – Drivers should expect lane closures and flagging operations in Duval County as part of the Statewide Traffic and Railroad Initiative Using Dynamic Envelopes initiative, officially known as “Operation STRIDE.”

Through [Operation STRIDE](#), the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is implementing rail crossing safety measures on state roadways with the goal of eliminating crashes at state road rail crossings. The work includes installation of Rail Dynamic Envelopes (conspicuous pavement markings), enhanced signage and rail safety education.

Construction will take place at the following locations from Monday, January 18 to Friday, January 22, weather permitting:

- Hecksher Drive (State Road 105) west of Somers Road – lane closures
- U.S. 17 (State Road 5) south of Lawton Avenue – lane closures
- Norwood Avenue (State Road 117) south of Carlton Street – lane closures

Work is expected to take place from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. and once construction is completed at one crossing, crews will move to the next crossing and begin work. The lane closures will be removed early if work is completed ahead of schedule or could be in place longer due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.

Stay informed about lane closures and roadwork in your area by following FDOT District 2 at [@MyFDOT_NEFL](#) on Twitter or at [MyFDOTNEFL](#) on Facebook.

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