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Delays Expected Sunday Night on I-295 Southbound from Monument Road to UNF Drive

Jacksonville, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation will use traffic pacing to slow traffic on southbound I-295 between Monument Road and UNF Drive beginning at 10 p.m. Sunday, June 9 and ending by 5 a.m. Monday, June 10 as crews remove overhead signage just before J. Turner Butler Boulevard (S.R. 202). The work is part of the ongoing Express Lanes project from State Road 9B to just north of J. Turner Butler Boulevard.

Traffic pacing is a traffic control technique used to slow but not stop traffic to facilitate shortduration work operations without requiring drivers to follow a detour route. Marked law enforcement vehicles will slow traffic to safely move drivers through the corridor. Additionally, variable message boards will be used to alert motorists of the operation.

This Express Lanes project consists of two new 12-foot travel lanes in each direction, the addition of noise walls along I-295 in various locations, the construction of drainage ponds and the installation of electronic tolling systems at various locations to collect tolls. The project will offer a choice for travelers to use an express lane for a fee or remain on the non-tolled portion of I-295.

The \$139.9 million project was awarded to the Archer-Western Contractors design-build team.

To learn more about the Express Lanes, visit: www.NorthFloridaExpress.com.

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