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FDOT Moves Forward to Phase Three of Five on S.R. 20 Drainage Project

Palatka, **Fla.** – As part of the State Road 20 drainage improvements from Osceola Street to Reid Street, State Road 20 (9th Street) from Laurel Street to Oak Street (map 1) is closed for pipe installation work through early August, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.

Motorists traveling north on State Road 20 will detour west on Carr Street, north on 10th Street and east on Oak Street to travel back to State Road 20 northbound. Motorists traveling south on State Road 20 will detour west on Oak Street and south on Carr Street to travel back to State Road 20.

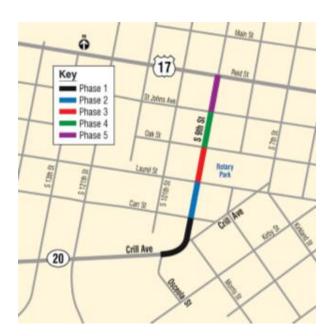
The construction project includes removing the top layer of asphalt and replacing it, installing new drainage pipes under the roadway, constructing new storm drain, base work, improving curb and gutter, reconstructing sidewalk and driveway, utility work, clearing the right of way and other incidental construction.

Temporary full roadway and sidewalk closures will occur throughout each phase of the project; however, vehicle and pedestrian detours will be provided (map 2). Commercial truck traffic should utilize the existing truck route for State Road 20.

Halifax Paving, Inc. is expected to complete the \$2 million drainage improvements by late 2019, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.



Map 1



Map 2