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Northbound I-295 East Beltway to See Traffic Shifts Tonight and Sunday

Jacksonville – Northbound I-295 East Beltway will see traffic shifts during the overnight hours of Thursday, October 24 and Sunday, October 27 as crews open a third general use lane along the corridor. The additional capacity will be made available in phases as crews complete work along the corridor.

Signs and message boards will alert drivers of the activity on the roadway. Drivers should plan ahead for unexpected delays and increased construction activity.

FDOT offers FL511 to assist drivers on the roadway. This free service is available via website: www.FL511.com, mobile app, or by calling #511 from any device. Interested parties can setup real-time traffic alerts and customize trips to learn about incidents on the roadway and improve travel times. These alerts are not exclusive to construction, but include police activity, congestion and other incidents on the roadway that may impact a commute.

The \$160 million project was awarded to the Archer-Western Contractors design-build team. The project is expected to be completed in late 2020.

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