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Overnight Detours Planned Next Week for Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway (SR 115) ITS Improvements

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – As part of the Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) improvements project on Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway (State Road 115) from Boulevard Street to Beach Boulevard, overnight detours are scheduled Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 for the filling of CSL tubes in the CCTV and DMS (Dynamic Messaging System) foundations.

MLK Parkway Off-Ramp, East of North Main Street Ramp Detour:

The Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway off-ramp east of North Main Street will close nightly Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. the following morning.

As a detour, drivers will continue southbound on MLK Parkway, exit at the Phoenix Avenue Talleyrand Terminal, turn left onto 19th Street, then turn left onto MLK Parkway northbound.

Haines Street at 14th Street Road Detour

Haines Street at 14th Street will close nightly Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. the following morning.

As a detour, drivers will take Haines Street northbound, turn right onto 13th Street, turn left onto Buckman Street, make a left onto 15th Street, and then a right onto Haines Street.

Northbound MLK Parkway at Gator Bowl Boulevard Detour

Northbound Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway at Gator Bowl Boulevard will close nightly Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. the following morning.

As a detour, drivers will continue onto Gator Bowl Boulevard, turn right onto Duval Street, turn left onto Talleyrand Avenue, turn left onto Jessie Street, and turn right onto Haines Street to access the MLK Parkway on-ramp.

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MLK Parkway Northbound On-Ramp from Atlantic Boulevard Detour

The Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway northbound on-ramp from Atlantic Boulevard will close nightly Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. the following morning.

As a detour, drivers will make a U-Turn on Atlantic Boulevard to access the westbound MLK Parkway on-ramp.

MLK Parkway Northbound On-Ramp from University Boulevard Detour

The Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway on-ramp from University Boulevard will close nightly Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. the following morning.

As a detour, drivers will continue north on University Boulevard and turn left onto the westbound MLK Parkway on-ramp.

Eastbound Beach Boulevard at East Road Detour

Eastbound lanes of Beach Boulevard will close nightly Monday, April 15 through Thursday, April 18 between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. the following morning.

As a detour, drivers will take Beach Boulevard eastbound, exit to East Road, turn left onto Parental Home Road and turn right onto Beach Boulevard.

Chinchor Electric began the \$7.9 million Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) improvements in September 2023 and is estimated to complete the work by early 2025, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.

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