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St. Johns Avenue Detour Starts Thursday Night for Intersection Improvements Project

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation will detour traffic on St. Johns Avenue (State Road 211) starting Thursday night for construction and implementation of the new roundabout configuration of the Herschel Street intersection.

The detour is currently scheduled for Thursday, March 24 at 7 p.m. through Monday, March 28 at 5 a.m., weather and schedule permitting.

As shown in the map below, St. Johns Avenue through traffic will be detoured to San Juan Avenue, Roosevelt Boulevard and Edgewood Avenue South. Local traffic on St. Johns Avenue will be detoured in front of the St. Johns Flower Market to northbound Herschel Street.

Traffic enforcement officers will be on site to assist drivers through the new configuration.



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March is bicycle safety month. When cycling always wear a helmet and ride in the same direction of traffic on the street. Obey all traffic signs, signals, and markings.

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