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Resurfacing of U.S. 301 in Alachua County begins later this month

Work will take place between Hawthorne and Island Grove.

GAINESVILLE, FL – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is scheduled to begin another road resurfacing project on U.S. 301 in Alachua County.

The project, which will take place on U.S. 301 between Southeast 65th Avenue in Hawthorne and just north of 203 Street in Island Grove, is scheduled to begin by the end of the month.

Work will include milling and resurfacing, shoulder and drainage improvements, and highway signage, well as other incidental construction.

The \$5.8 million project is expected to be completed later this year.

FDOT has hired Anderson Columbia Co., Inc., of Lake City, to complete the nearly 7-mile project.

Motorists should expect possible daytime delays as work is scheduled to take place Monday through Friday, with some weekend work possible. However, lane closures are not allowed between 6 a.m. and 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Another project on U.S. 301 in Alachua County, between the railroad overpass in Waldo and the Bradford County line, began in February. The \$3.47 million, 3.5-mile project is scheduled to be completed late this summer.