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MIAMI INTERMODAL CENTER COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY AWARENESS PROGRAM

Maintenance of Traffic Bulletin #68 **September 12, 2003**

CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES UPDATE

Construction Activity No. 1

Temporary Ramp Closure for Westbound SR-836 Off-Ramp at NW 37th Avenue and Lane Closure at NW 37th Avenue (Douglas Road) from NW 13th Street to North of NW 14th Street:

Commencing Friday, September 12, 2003 until Monday, September 15, 2003: The westbound SR-836 exit ramp on NW 37th Avenue will be temporarily closed from **Friday, September 12, 2003 at 8:00 p.m. until Monday, September 15, 2003 at 5:30 a.m.** Motorist on Westbound SR-836 should keep right and use the next exit on NW 42nd Avenue (LeJeune Road). Variable Message Signs (VMS) will be located on the westbound of SR-836 to detour traffic. In addition, Two northbound lanes along NW 37th Avenue (Douglas Road) from NW 13th Street to North of NW 14th Street Intersection will be temporarily closed. Northbound traffic will be shifted to the southbound lanes. One lane in each direction will be open to traffic. The Southbound left turn lane along NW 37th Avenue onto the SR 836 East Ramp will be temporarily closed. Commuters should follow the detour route to NW 42nd Avenue (LeJeune Road) to go East on SR 836. **Crew working hours will be from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** during the weekend only.

From Monday, September 15 to Friday, September 19, 2003: During weekdays, two southbound lanes and one northbound lane will be open to traffic on NW 37th Avenue (Douglas Road) from NW 13th Street to North of NW 14th Street. The lane and ramp closures are due to drainage and roadway improvements along this intersection. This activity will be performed by APAC Construction for FDOT. An off-duty police officer will be on site and VMS signs will be in place advising commuters of detours and lane closures.

This closure will occur again on Friday, September 19, 2003 until Monday, September 22, 2003.

Construction Activity No. 2

Intersection of NW 37th Avenue (Douglas Road) and NW 21st Street:

Commencing Friday, September 12, 2003 until Monday, September 15, 2003: The south side of the intersection of NW 37th Avenue and NW 21st Street will be temporarily closed. One lane in each direction will remain open. Lane closures will be in effect throughout the weekend from **Friday, September 12, 2003 at 9:00 p.m. to Monday, September 15, 2003, at 5:30 a.m.** This closure is due the installation of a watermain pipe for the MIC Rental Car Facility. Work is being performed by Turner Construction (Central Florida Equipment).

Construction Activity No. 3

NW 21st Street from NW 37th Avenue to NW 39th Avenue

Commencing Friday, September 12, 2003 through Friday, September 19th, 2003: The right westbound lane along NW 21st Street from approximately 700 feet west of NW 37th Avenue (across the Tri-Rail entrance) to NW 39th Avenue will be temporarily closed commencing **Friday, September 12, 2003 at 6:00 p.m.** One westbound lane will be maintained open to traffic. Access to Tri-Rail will be maintained at all time. This closure is due the installation of an underground electrical system and man-hole installation for the MIC Rental Car Facility. In order to expedite this work, crews will be working around the clock in two, 12-hour shifts. This work will be performed by FPL Distribution (Carolina Conduit System, Inc). Variable Message Signs will be in place advising commuters of lane closures. Off-duty police officers will be on site to direct traffic.

Construction Activity No. 4

NW 21st Street from NW 37th Avenue to NW 39th Avenue

Commencing Monday, September 15th, 2003 through Sunday, September 28th, 2003: The left westbound and left eastbound lanes including the center turning lanes along NW 21st Street from NW 37th Avenue to approximately 400 feet west of NW 37th Avenue will be temporarily closed. At least one lane in each direction will be maintained open to traffic. This closure is due the installation of a watermain pipe for the MIC Rental Car Facility. Crew working hours will be during non-peak hours from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Work is being performed by Turner Construction (Central Florida Utilities). Variable Message Signs will be in place advising commuters of lane closures.

Construction Activity No. 5

Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) Project: Construction of an Additional Westbound Lane From SR-112 to Okeechobee Road Off-ramp

Commencing Monday, September 15, 2003 to Tuesday, September 23, 2003: MAINLINE: As part of the improvements to SR-112, there will be intermittent lane closures, one at a time, on westbound SR-112 between NW 32nd Avenue and Okeechobee Road from Monday, September 15 to Saturday, September 20, 2003. These closures will be during the non-peak hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Also, westbound on SR-112 at the NW 37th Avenue bridge, up to two lanes will be closed from Monday, September 15 to Saturday, September 20. One lane will be closed from 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. and the second lane will be closed from 11:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. Additionally, on westbound SR-112, at the NW 37th Place Bridge, one lane will be closed from Tuesday, September 16 to Saturday, September 20 between the hours of 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. Motorists should look out for roadway detours. For more information on this project call Bridget Appow at (305) 860-3740 or contact MDX at info@mdx-way.com

*Nearby business interests and residents affected by construction of the **Miami Intermodal Center** and other nearby construction projects will receive periodic Maintenance of Traffic (MOT) bulletins giving road closure information and suggesting alternate routes. This information is being provided by the **One Stop Shop Traffic Information Program** sponsored by the **Florida Department of Transportation** and its partnering agencies Miami-Dade County, Miami-Dade Aviation Department, Miami International Airport, Miami-Dade Expressway Authority, Tri-Rail, Miami-Dade Transit, Miami-Dade Office of Public Transportation Management, Cities of Miami, Hialeah, Miami Springs and Virginia Gardens, and local Utilities. Thank you for your patience while we work to improve the roadways in this area. For more information about construction impacts, please contact the **MIC Senior Comprehensive Community Awareness Program Coordinator, Liz Fernandez** at (305) 219-9039, lfernandez@c3ts.com, or the **MIC CAP Office** at (305) 870-7888. For additional information about the MIC Program, please go to www.micdot.com or contact the **MIC Public Affairs Program Manager, Ric Katz** at (305) 573-4455.*



The above information is subject to change if the contractor's schedule is altered due to unexpected circumstances.