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Broward County TURNPIKE CLOSURES Wednesday NIGHT

Fort Lauderdale, FL (November 3, 2008) —Construction and utility work, in Broward County, on Florida's Turnpike will impact nighttime traffic and force **off-peak road closures this Wednesday, November 5.**

One closure will take place at the Griffin Road (Exit 53) southbound on ramp. The ramp closure begins Wednesday at 10 p.m. and the ramp will reopen the following morning, Thursday, by 5 a.m.

The other closure is an intermittent, mainline closure (rolling road block) which will take place in both the southbound and northbound directions of the Turnpike between Sunrise Boulevard (Exit 58) and Commercial Boulevard (Exit 62). The closure begins Wednesday at 11 p.m. and will be completed the following morning, Thursday at 5 a.m. Motorists should avoid this stretch of the Turnpike and use US 441 / SR 7 during this time. FHP and local law enforcement will direct the closure to allow the utility company to repair lines which cross over the Turnpike.

