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TURNPIKE TO CLOSE BETWEEN SAMPLE ROAD AND GLADES ROAD

Fort Lauderdale, FL.— The northbound lanes of Florida's Turnpike will be closed overnight between Sample Road (Exit 69) in Pompano Beach and Glades Road (Exit 75) in Boca Raton from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. for four consecutive nights, Monday, December 15 through Thursday, December 18.

Northbound traffic will exit off the Turnpike at Sample Road and be diverted east to Powerline Road. Motorists will continue north on Powerline Road, then west on Glades Road to return to the Turnpike. Multiple message boards have been placed throughout the affected areas forewarning drivers of this upcoming closure. _

This closure is necessary to allow workers to set beams on the Wiles Road overpass. Broward County is extending Wiles Road to Powerline Road by constructing an overpass (bridge) over the Turnpike.