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Overnight Closure of Port St. Lucie/Fort Pierce Service Plaza to Relocate Generator Service Plaza will be closed from 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 13 to 5 a.m. Wednesday, June 14

FORT LAUDERDALE — Florida's Turnpike has scheduled a temporary closure of the Port St. Lucie/Fort Pierce Service Plaza (mile marker 144) on Florida's Turnpike to allow construction crews to relocate a generator to the new restaurant service area. The facility's gas station, convenience store and restaurants will be closed from 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 13 to 5 a.m. Wednesday, June 14. The Fort Drum Service Plaza (mile marker 184) and West Palm Beach Service Plaza (mile marker 94) are alternate stops for drivers.

The Port St. Lucie/Fort Pierce Service Plaza is undergoing a \$21 million renovation and reconstruction project. Improvements include a new 40,000 square-foot restaurant building; new 3,500 square-foot convenience store and fueling pumps; and expanded truck parking. The renovations are a joint project of the Florida Department of Transportation and Areas USA, which has a 30-year concession agreement to run the fuel, food and retail operations at Turnpike service plazas.

For more information about this project, call 1-800-749-PIKE or go to www.Floridasturnpike.com. Drivers may dial 5-1-1 for real-time traffic information or visit www.FL511.com before traveling. They may also follow @f511_Turnpike on Twitter.