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## Access to U.S. 17 from Butler Drive to Close Temporarily for Roadway Work

**Palatka, Fla.** – As part of the U.S. 17 widening project from Horse Landing Road to the north approach of the Dunn’s Creek Bridge, access to and from U.S. 17 at Butler Drive will be temporarily unavailable starting Tuesday, October 8.

Butler Drive will reopen once the new northbound lanes of U.S. 17 north of the bridge are fully reconstructed.

Motorists will detour via San Mateo Road to access U.S. 17 or Butler Drive. During this phase of work, access to U.S. 17 from Belle Drive and Gail Drive remains temporarily closed. Motorists will continue to detour via San Mateo Road or Horse Landing Road. Pineway Avenue (previously closed) is now open to traffic.

GLF Construction began the \$36.5 million widening project in February 2018 and is expected to complete construction by summer 2021, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.



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