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## **Atlantic Boulevard at Arlington Expressway Landscaping Project to begin**

**Jacksonville, Fla.** – Construction on a landscaping project at the intersection of Atlantic Boulevard (State Road 10) and the Arlington Expressway (State Road 115) is scheduled to begin this week, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting. The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) project, expected to start Wednesday, July 29, also includes plantings of trees and grasses in the medians west of the intersection to Monument Road.

Plant species that will be installed along the project's medians and rights-of-way include live oak, bald cypress, magnolia and crape myrtle. The project also includes installation of temporary irrigation systems to support the new plantings.

Lafleur Nurseries and Garden Center, LLC was selected to complete the \$240,000 project, which includes approximately four months of construction plus a two-year establishment period.

Traffic will be maintained in accordance with FDOT design standards throughout the project. Posted speed limits will remain in place throughout the duration of construction. Work is expected to take place during daytime hours, Monday through Friday, with occasional lane closures.

The landscaping project has been developed as a concept in conjunction with District Two's FDOTree program, an initiative created to educate the public about FDOT's Northeast Florida landscaping programs. For more information, visit [www.FDOTree.org](http://www.FDOTree.org).

FDOT urges motorists to always follow the speed limit and stay within the limits of orange cones and barrels while traveling through construction zones. For up-to-date information regarding construction projects and lane closures, please visit [www.nflroads.com](http://www.nflroads.com) or contact FDOT personnel at (904) 831-FDOT.

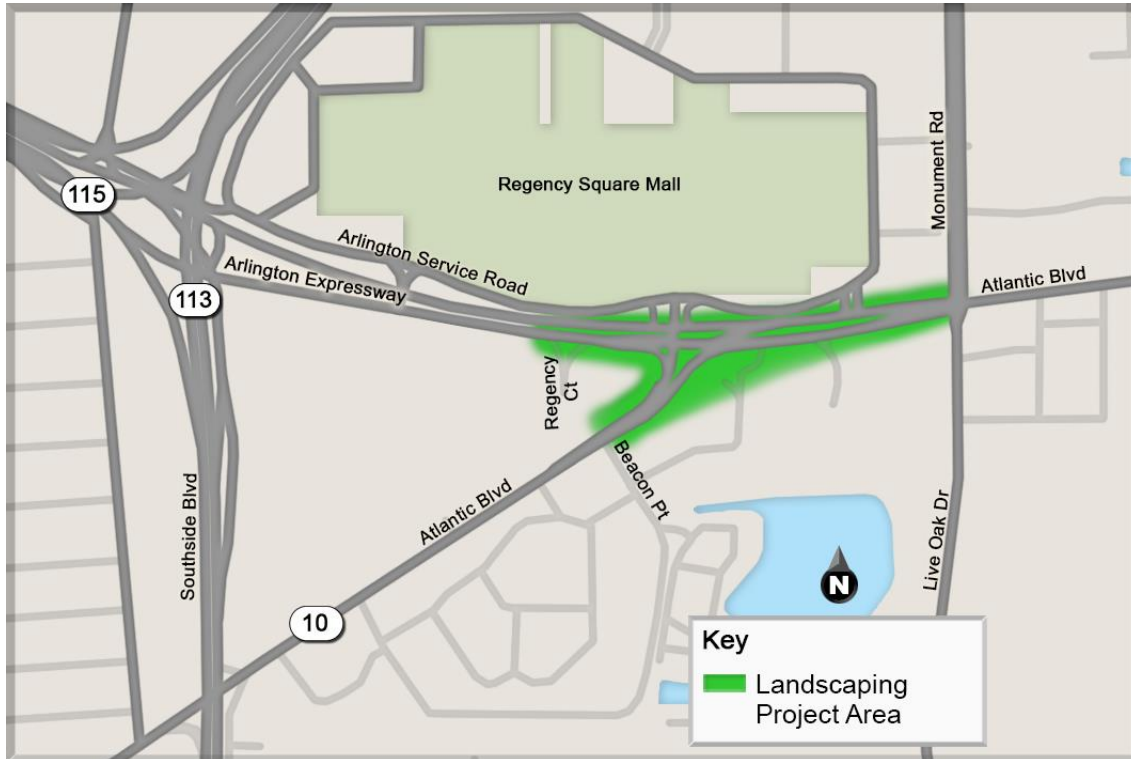


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