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Overnight Detour of Eastbound Butler Boulevard West of Kernan Boulevard Planned Feb. 7

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – As part of the interchange improvement project at J.T. Butler Boulevard (State Road 202) and Kernan Boulevard, eastbound Butler Boulevard between I-295 and Kernan Boulevard will close overnight Wednesday, Feb. 7 to allow for overhead sign installation. All eastbound lanes of the roadway will close by 11 p.m. Wednesday and reopen by 5 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 8.

During the closure, the following detour routes will be in place:

- Drivers on eastbound Butler Boulevard will take I-295 North to Beach Boulevard, travel east on Beach Boulevard and take southbound Kernan Boulevard to access eastbound Butler Boulevard.
- Drivers on I-295 South will exit at Beach Boulevard, travel east on Beach Boulevard and take southbound Kernan Boulevard to access eastbound Butler Boulevard.
- Drivers on Town Center Parkway will take I-295 North to Beach Boulevard, travel east on Beach Boulevard and take southbound Kernan Boulevard to access eastbound Butler Boulevard.
- Drivers in the managed lanes on I-295 North will continue on I-295 North to Beach Boulevard, travel east on Beach Boulevard and take southbound Kernan Boulevard to access eastbound Butler Boulevard.

FDOT hired J.B. Coxwell Contracting to complete the \$17.1 million project, which includes construction of a partial cloverleaf interchange, adding capacity to on- and off-ramps, milling and resurfacing of existing pavement, roadway lighting improvements, construction of ponds and other drainage improvements and installation of new signage and mast arm signals. The project is estimated for completion in late 2024, weather and unforeseen circumstances permitting.

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