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### **Two Permanent Road Closures in Starke at Railroad Crossings to begin March 18**

**STARKE, Fla.** – As part of the Florida Department of Transportation’s Starke Railroad Overpass Interchange Improvements project, South and East Atkins streets are scheduled to permanently close at the railroad crossings Monday, March 18.

The permanent road closure locations are South Street between Thompson and South Cherry streets and on East Atkins Street between North Walnut and North Cherry streets.

Additionally, southbound South Waters Street will now permanently terminate at Call Street.

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