

WPLG TV 10 Construction Project Forces Overnight Lane Closures

I-595 Lane Shift Between Davie Road and 441 Slows Traffic

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DAVIE, Fla. -- A number of lanes were closed Wednesday night on the westbound side of Interstate 595 in Davie, between 441 and Davie Road, to create a new traffic pattern for drivers. Crews worked to move barrier walls and barricades and restripe the roadway as part of a billion-dollar project.

Speed limits in the area were reduced by 10 mph hour, because the Department of Transportation knew some drivers would be confused. The lanes reopened by 6 a.m. Thursday.

When construction is complete, there will be three new reversible lanes running eastbound during the morning commute and westbound during the evening rush hour to help ease congestion. The project is expected to be finished in three years.

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