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### **Construction closures and news for the night of July 22 – 30, 2011**

*Because of weather and other circumstances, the information contained in this release will occasionally change. For the latest information, check out the "closures/detours" section at [www.myTBI.com](http://www.myTBI.com). **ON SITE VISITS: Please contact us before parking in the construction zones so that we may help you find a location.***

#### **Project news: I-275 Widening from U.S. 41 to I-75**

##### **Night lane closures on north section of southbound I-275**

TAMPA -- The right lane will be closed on southbound I-275 between I-75 and U.S. 41 (north of Bearss Avenue, Exit 53) from 9:30 p.m. to 5:30 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (July 24 - 28) nights.

#### **Project news: I-4 / Selmon Expressway Connector**

##### **Meridian Avenue entrance to Selmon Expressway Reversible Express Lanes to be closed this weekend and next**

TAMPA -- The Meridian Avenue entrance to the Reversible Express Lanes (REL or "upper deck") of the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) will be closed from 8 p.m. Friday (July 22) to 5 a.m. Monday (July 25) and from 8 p.m. Friday (July 29) to 5 a.m. Monday (August 1) for work on the I-4 / Selmon Expressway Connector project.

DETOUR: Eastbound drivers will only be able to enter the REL from the lower level of the Selmon Expressway at the slip ramp located just west of U.S. Highway 301.

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##### **Traffic to be detoured off lower level of eastbound Selmon this weekend and next**

TAMPA -- Eastbound traffic is scheduled to be detoured off the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 21st/22nd streets and 50th Street from 8 p.m. Friday (July 22) to 5 a.m. Monday (July 25) and from 8 p.m. Friday (July 29) to 5 a.m. Monday (August 1) for work on the I-4 / Selmon Expressway Connector project.

DETOUR: All eastbound traffic will be directed off the Selmon Expressway at 21st/22nd Street(Exit 9), detoured east on State Road 60 (Adamo Drive), then back onto the Expressway using the 50th Street entrance ramp. *Tolls will be suspended at the Exit 9 off-ramp only during the detour hours.*

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**Meridian Avenue entrance to Selmon Expressway Reversible Express Lanes to be closed weeknights**

TAMPA -- The Meridian Avenue entrance to the Reversible Express Lanes (REL or "upper deck") of the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) will be closed from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday through Thursday (July 25 - 28) nights for work on the I-4 / Selmon Expressway Connector project.

DETOUR: The first opportunity for eastbound drivers to enter the REL from the lower level of the Selmon Expressway will be at the slip ramp near 34th Street Monday and Tuesday (July 25 and 26) nights; for Wednesday and Thursday (July 27 and 28) nights entrance will be available at the slip ramp located just west of U.S. Highway 301.

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**Traffic to be detoured off westbound Selmon Monday and Tuesday nights**

TAMPA -- Westbound traffic is scheduled to be detoured off the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 50th Street and 22nd Street from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday and Tuesday (July 25 and 26) nights.

DETOUR: All westbound traffic will be directed off the Selmon Expressway at 50th Street (Exit 11), detoured west on State Road 60 (Adamo Drive), then back onto the Expressway using the 21st/22nd Street entrance ramp. *Tolls will be suspended for entering the westbound Selmon Expressway at 22nd Street during the detour hours only.*

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**Traffic to be detoured off eastbound Selmon Wednesday and Thursday nights**

TAMPA -- Eastbound traffic is scheduled to be detoured off the Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 22nd Street and 50th Street from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Wednesday and Thursday (July 27 and 28) nights for work on the I-4 / Selmon Expressway Connector project.

DETOUR: All eastbound traffic will be directed off the Selmon Expressway at 21st/22nd Street(Exit 9), detoured east on State Road 60 (Adamo Drive), then back onto the Expressway using the 50th Street entrance ramp. *Tolls will be suspended at the Exit 9 off-ramp only during the detour hours.*

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**Day and night lane closures on eastbound Selmon Expressway**

TAMPA -- One lane may be closed on the eastbound Selmon Expressway (SR 618) between 22nd Street (Exit 9) and 50th Street (Exit 11) from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (July 25 - 29) and from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday and Tuesday (July 25 and 26) nights).

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**Day lane closures on Adamo Drive**

TAMPA -- The left lane may be closed in each direction of State Road 60 (Adamo Dr.) between 26th and 34th streets from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 23 and Monday through Friday (July 25 - 29).

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**Day and night lane closures on 20th, 21st & 22nd streets near Selmon Expressway/SR 60**

TAMPA (YBOR CITY) -- One lane may be closed each way on 20th, 21st and 22nd streets from State Road 60 to Durham Street from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday (July 23) and Monday through Friday (July 25 - 29), and from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. Friday (July 22) and Monday through Friday (July 25 - 29) nights. Also, from 8 p.m. Friday (July 22) to 5 a.m. Monday (July 25), the right two lanes will be closed on southbound 21st Street from SR 60 to the railroad tracks near the Selmon Expressway.

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**Day and night lane closures on 34th Street at SR 60**

TAMPA -- One lane will be closed in both directions of 34th Street from State Road 60 (Adamo Drive) to Grace Street from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday (July 25 - 30). Single-lane closures will also occur from 7 p.m. to 5 a.m. Monday through Thursday (July 25 - 28) nights.

**Project news: I-4 Resurfacing from Branch Forbes Road to Memorial Boulevard**

**Night lane closures on I-4 in Plant City/Lakeland area**

PLANT CITY/LAKELAND -- There may be lane closures in either direction of I-4 between Exit 17 and Exit 28 between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. Friday through Sunday (July 22 - 31) nights.

**Project news: I-75 Slab Repairs from Progress Boulevard to State Road 60**

**I-75 night ramp closures from Exit 254 to Exit 257**

BRANDON -- Various I-75 exit and entrance ramps will be closed from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Friday through Thursday (July 22 - 28) nights. There will also be some single-lane closures on ramps with two or more lanes. The planned schedule and detour routes are posted on the myTBI.com web site.

**Project news: I-75/I-275 Exit Ramps to State Road 56**

**Night lane closures on southbound I-75 at I-275**

WESLEY CHAPEL -- The right lane will be closed on southbound I-75 from south of State Road 56 (Exit 275) to south of I-275 (Exit 274) from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Wednesday through Friday (July 27 - 29) nights.

**Project news: I-75 Widening from State Road 56 to County Road 54**

**Night lane closures on I-75 in southern Pasco**

WESLEY CHAPEL -- One lane of northbound or southbound I-75 will be closed from State Road 56 (Exit 275) to County Road/State Road 54 (Exit 279) from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (July 24 - 28) nights.

**Project news: I-75 Resurfacing from Lockhart Road to Withlacoochee River**

**Night lane closures on I-75 in Hernando County**

HERNANDO COUNTY -- One lane may be closed in either direction of I-75 between Lockhart Road and the Withlacoochee River from 7:30 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. Sunday through Thursday (July 24 - 28) nights.

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