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## Traffic Advisory: Nightly Closure of the Westbound I-4 Exit Ramp to Sand Lake Road (State Road (S.R.) 482) Scheduled for May 23

**ORANGE COUNTY, Fla.** – Motorists should be advised that the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is implementing a nighttime road closure of the westbound Interstate 4 (I-4) exit ramp to Sand Lake Road (State Road (S.R.) 482) overnight tonight (Thursday, May 23). The closure will begin as early as 10 p.m. tonight (May 23) and is expected to reopen by 6 a.m. Friday, May 24.

The closure is necessary for crews to make repairs to the attenuator, which is a safety device installed in front of concrete barriers to lessen the severity of impacts for motorists.

During the closure, motorists who wish to travel to Sand Lake Road must follow detour signs and take Exit 75A onto southbound Kirkman Road toward Sand Lake Road. From there, motorists will turn right onto Sand Lake Road.

Construction schedules are subject to change due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances.

FDOT advises motorists to use caution, be alert while driving or riding through active construction zones, and follow all posted detour signs. Please see the detour map below for more information.



For more information on the planned improvements on I-4 in Orange County, visit the project website at <u>I4Beyond.com/SandLake</u>.

Media inquiries should be directed to the FDOT Communications Office at <u>FDOT-D5COMM@dot.state.fl.us</u> or by phone at 386-943-5593.

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